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LEXOW INVESTIGATION

How the New York Police Protect Green Goods Men.

TWO MORE CAPTAINS ACCUSED.

When a "Guy" Made Complaint to the Police Force He Was Promptly Run Out of Town as a Shover of Counterfeit Money.

NEW YORK, Sept. 12.—Several showily dressed women in the space reserved for witnesses gave color to the rumor which circulated in the court room occupied by the senate police investigating committee yesterday that an effort was to be made to show that protection money had been extorted by the police from establishments several degrees removed from those of Mrs. Thurow and Mrs. Schubert.

William Applegate, the confidential man of Jimmy McNally, dealer in green goods, was again put on the stand. He testified that so far as he knew there was no green goods business in Harlem until Captain Meakim was transferred to that precinct. He said that McNally employed twelve writers in Harlem.

"How much?" asked Mr. Goff.

"He has collected," replied the witness, "as much as $450 a month from McNally for protection for the green goods business."

The witness had paid $200 to Captain Meakim direct.

Here Captain Meakim, who was in court, was asked to stand up, and was promptly identified by Applegate, who again identified Detective Charlton. Detective Sergeant Hanley, according to the witness, was McNally's right hand man in the central office. "When we got in trouble," said Applegate, "McNally would send for Hanley. Half of the amount obtained from a guy went to the police, always, so far as I know, through Hanley. I gave taken money to Hanley's house, and so has my sister Lou."

"By the way, William," asked Mr. Goff, "what became of the guy after Hanley took him in charge?"

"He was run out of town for being a 'shover of queer.'"

On one occasion McNally was beaten at his own game, and lost a considerable sum by sharpers, who passed themselves for guys.

Applegate identified Patrolman McArdle as a man to whom $50 a week were paid for protection. He also said he had paid Captain Price $1,[illegible] saying: "This is for Jimmy," to which the captain replied, "Oh, yes! I know Jim."

Applegate identified some checks of McNally's drawn on a Bridgeport, Conn., bank, and said that McNally never kept a bank account, but used any checks in his business. He went to live at Bridgeport, March 14, 1894. Several people [illegible] Police Commissioners Sheehy and Andrews.

"What do you mean by that?" was the reply.

"It was as if the police gave receipts when they got money in Bridgeport."

Lawyer Goff [illegible] question from the stenographer's notes, suggesting Mr. Goff and the police's greatest mistake.

At one time [illegible] McNally had only [illegible] of the Central Office raid by Inspector Byrnes, [illegible] steerers and bringing the [illegible] the all right when they were arraigned in New York. At Bridgeport Applegate said McNally was known as "J. P. Morris."

"We were pretty well protected in Jersey," the witness [illegible]. "We had our men not only in the postoffice, but all along railroads. Our head quarters was in Tenth street." Sometimes the bill for postage amounted to $250, for the green goods men would often send out as much as fifteen barrels full of mail at a time."

The witness claimed that he paid $100 to Captain Price in behalf of McNally. Captain Price, according to Applegate, put the money in his pocket and said: "Put Jimmy's name down tomorrow."

Applegate described the process of fleecing victims. He told how the steerers would get the "guys" into the cab with Walter Haynes or some other one of the gang.

A dummy satchel would be prepared to give the victim. The guys were usually taken in cabs to Central park. After the exchange had been made the guy would be driven to the depot and hustled out of town as quickly as possible. It was more difficult, Applegate said, to make the exchange in a cab than in a regular joint. However, the business was a successful one.

The witness identified Officer McArdle, who was formerly stationed at the Grand Central depot as a policeman who protected the green goods men for a salary of $50 per week. McArdle's duties were to arrest any guys who might open their boxes at the depot.

Captain Price was appointed to a new post. Price told McNally that he was compelled to make the arrest because he had only just got his place and wanted to keep it. McNally claimed to witness that he paid Price $100 to square things. McNally had been accused of keeping an opium joint. Applegate said at the time the raid was made Captain Price was in the police station. He knew McNally, but allowed him to give a fictitious name.

Young Applegate then entered into an explanation of the relations alleged to exist between Hanley and McNally. He claimed that Hanley was McNally's representative at Central station. Applegate testified that McNally often made [illegible] presents to Hanley.

Mr. Goff [illegible] read extracts from McNally's [illegible], showing that he was in correspondence with [illegible] all over the country. [illegible] to buy presents for [illegible].

When [illegible] was recalled in the court room he testified that he was [illegible] over to New Jersey and [illegible] before the committee. He said the man was offered him the money was a friend of Captain Meakim. Because he was a friend of the witness, the witness declined to give his name.

Other witnesses were Ferdinand Meyer, a piano manufacturer, who was compelled to overpay a pawnbroker for a watch stolen from him; Alexander J. Howell, a member of the Fifth Avenue Presbyterian church, engaged in the harbor transportation business, who told a friend that he once paid $500 blood money to Captain Williams, and admitted on the stand that he told a falsehood when he made the claim; James H. Perkins, of Brooklyn, a partner of Howell, who gave a detailed statement of a $500 check offered Captain Williams, of the indignant protests of that official, who said he would do business only on a cash basis.

Engineer and Fireman Injured.

BALTIMORE, Sept. 12.—The southern express train from Harrisburg, with nine loaded coaches and making twenty miles an hour, crashed into a yard engine which had run wild, and toppled over from the adjoining track at Mt. Vernon Mills, completely demolishing both engines and painfully injuring Engineer Reed and Fireman Rice.

Dedicated by Governor Pattison.

PITTSBURG, Sept. 11.—Yesterday afternoon Governor Pattison dedicated the East End M. E. church, this city. He was accompanied by Colonels Sabray Bradley, of Philadelphia, and A. D. Seeley, of Berwick, members of his staff and the Captain Jackson Post 159, G. A. R., of Berwick, who created a very favorable impression.

Three Fatally Hurt on the Rail.

DECATUR Ills., Sept. 12.—Adolph Grafroski, Herman Cuctic and Charles Blossin were struck by a Wabash passenger train in the yards here yesterday. Grafroski was instantly killed and the others will die.

NUGGETS OF NEWS.

Reports from northeastern Nebraska and western Iowa tell of killing frosts.

Peter Jackson has refused to put his name to the Sioux City agreement for a fight with Corbett.

The executive committee of the Democratic Society of Pennsylvania has fixed Oct. 12 as the date for the annual convention of clubs at Altoona.

Nelson Woods was killed and Cuby Reed fatally injured by a premature explosion in the West Knoxville (Tenn.) sewer, in which they were working.

Captain John T. Turner, for ten years yardmaster of the Richmond and Petersburg railway in Manchester, Va., fell from the top of a car and received injuries from which he died.

General Booth Starts for America.

LONDON, Sept. 12.—Detachments from the Salvation Army from all parts of London assembled at Euston railroad station yesterday in order to bid farewell to General Booth, who started for America. The general will reach New York about Oct. 20, and proceed to the principal northern and western cities of the United States, eventually reaching San Francisco, and finishing his tour at Seattle, Wash., on Dec 25.

Killed a Witness.

OPELIKA, Ala., Sept. 12.—Matthew Wadley, professional witness against illicit distillers, was shot and killed near Widowee, Randolph county. A party went to his house and tried to get him to come out. On his refusing a number of shots were fired into the building, and finally it was set on fire. One of the party says Wadley got down on a window low and tried to run, but had a fatal effect in his head.

Corbett and Courtney Liable to Arrest.

NEWARK, N. J., Sept. 12.—Judge Depue, in opening the Essex county court charged the grand jury in regard to the Corbett-Courtney fight in the Edison laboratory at Orange. The judge said the grand jury should carefully look into the case, and if they found the published reports in the newspapers to be true, the two men were liable to indictment on the charge of prize fighting.

Buried Jewelry Found.

READING, Pa., Sept. 12.—Harry Ash and Henry Wertz, both young men, were arrested here, charged with robbing the residence of Mrs. E. P. Stewart, while she was away spending the summer. They got jewelry and cash worth $700. Some of the goods were found buried under a tree on the outskirts of the city.

Fatal Accident at a Crossing.

WHITEHALL, N. Y., Sept. 12.—While attempting to cross the track ahead of the north bound express train at Putnam, N. Y., Mr. and Mrs. Orson Higgins, of Benson, Vt., were instantly killed, and a little girl, Mary Manley, was fatally injured.

It Cured Mother and Daughter.

BETHANY, N. Y., June 3, 1885.—"Since my wife commenced the use of Gilmore's wine she has steadily improved, until now her health is restored. She says she cannot keep house without this wine. It also cured my daughter, who was troubled with suppression of the menses. She had run over ten weeks and took only one bottle before she was cured."—Philip G. Burke. All druggists sell Gilmore's Aromatic Wine at $1 per bottle.

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EXILES FROM BLUEFIELDS.

They Were Given One Hour to Wind Up Their Affairs and Leave the Country.

NEW ORLEANS, Sept. 12.—The Times-Democrat has the following from Port Limon, Costa Rica: The following exiles from Bluefields, eleven in number, arrived in this port via Puntarenas: E. D. Hatch, English, acting British vice consul; G. S. Hodgson, native, clerk supreme court; S. A. Hodgson, native, judge supreme court; Washington Oliver, English, clerk; A. Markland Tyler, English, editor and owner of the Bluefields Messenger; G. B. Wiltbank, American, planter; W. H. Brown, English, merchant; J. N. Lampton, American, planter; Charles Paterson, native, vice president; S. W. Cuthbert, English, attorney general, and J. O. Thomas, English, judge supreme court. These are all prominent business men in the reservation.

They say that during the whole trouble, but two lives have been lost, and these were of two Nicaraguan soldiers who were killed on the evening of July 6.

Of the affair Mr. Lampton says: On the morning of Aug. 16 twelve of us, all residents in Bluefields and business men of more or less prominence, were notified by the chief of police in the service of the Nicaraguan government that Dr. Jose Madriz, special commander of the Mosquito reservation, desired to see us. This call was willingly answered.

On arrival we were notified to consider ourselves as prisoners of Nicaragua, and a decree was read to the effect that we would have to proceed at once to Managua to answer certain charges, and in case of refusing to go we would be expelled from the country.

We then asked for time to wind up our affairs, and it was agreed by the attorney general that three days should be given us for that purpose. After consideration by the Nicaragua officials, however, this concession was countermanded, and we were given one hour.

At this time we were all penniless and without extra clothing or bedding, but this fact was treated with perfect indifference by the Nicaraguan authorities. We have never been informed of any charge or charges against us.

THE FOREST FIRES.

Farmers Losing Both Crops and Soil in the Carp River Valley.

ISHPEMING, Mich., Sept. 12.—The farmers in Carp River valley are losing both crops and soil. The ground is of peat, and is so dry that it burns readily. The only method of stopping the flames is to dig trenches all around the fire to the sand underneath the peat. Homesteaders and lumbermen north of the city report great destruction of timber and improvements. Many persons escaped with difficulty.

ALGIERS, Sept. 12.—Forest fires of immense proportions are raging around Bona. The smoke is so dense that the sky is obscured over an area of sixty miles. The heat from the burning forests is excessive and can be felt as far as Tunis, between ninety and one hundred miles east of Bona.

CANNES, Sept. 12.—The woods in the valley of the Maures are burning. The fire was rapidly eating its way into La California, a suburb of Cannes, and threatened to destroy it. It would have been impossible to have saved the town had not the wind veered which changed the course of the fire. Great damage has been done to the forest in the St. Antione quarter.

Sensational Raid on a Gambling House.

OWENSBORO, Ky., Sept. 11.—A sensation was created here by an early morning raid made on a gambling game in progress in the rear of the Planters' House. Three officers raided the room and found the Hon. Lige Sebree, of Henderson, Republican candidate for congress; Messrs. John Shackelford, Ernest Burch, A. Sparks, Theo Washburn and John Walters, all well-known men. Messrs. Sebree and Burch pleaded guilty in the city court and were fined, but the other cases were continued till Friday.

Put Poison in the Well.

PIEDMONT, Ala., Sept. 11.—Two members of the family of Edward S. Downs have died from drinking water out of a poisoned well while two more are not expected to recover. The dead are James and Sallie Downs, aged 25 and 14 years. How the well was poisoned is not known, but Andrew Finley, a discharged servant, has been arrested for the crime.

President Bowman Found Guilty.

WILLIAMSPORT, Pa., Sept. 11.—John M. Bowman, president of the defunct Muncy bank, was found guilty on six counts, of making false entries with intent to deceive the United States bank examiner. He will ask for a new trial. The minimum sentence on each count is five years. Dela Green, the cashier, who was found guilty asked for a new trial.

A Baby's Life Saved.

WALTON, N. Y., April 14, 1894.—When my baby was six months old she was taken very badly with diarrhœa. A doctor came every day for a week. Baby got worse, until she could notice nothing at all. I got so worried I called on our druggists and he recommended Dr. Hand's Diarrhœa Mixture. I got it and just one-half a bottle cured my baby and saved her life.

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THE WAR IN THE EAST

The Power of Vicery Li Hung Chang Steadily Waning.

A REIGN OF TERROR AT TIENTSIN.

The Savage Soldiery Are Plundering and Maltreating the Wretched Populace, and Native Merchants Are Fleeing in Order to Save Their Lives.

LONDON, Sept. 12.—A dispatch from Shanghai states that the power of Viceroy Li Hung Chang is steadily waning. His few influential friends are doing their best for him at Pekin, but it is not likely that they will be able to avert his downfall. Every day's delay in providing the promised victory over the Japanese now adds to Li Hung Chang's danger.

The dispatch adds that the block in moving the Chinese troops into Corea continues. Everything has been thrown into confusion. The reinforcements from the more remote provinces en route to Tientsin are at a standstill and are terrorizing the cities in which they are halted. These reinforcements are mostly undisciplined hordes, who are not under the control of their nominal leaders. A reign of terror prevails even in Tientsin. The savage soldiery are plundering and maltreating the wretched populace, and native merchants are fleeing to Tientsin in order to save their lives. Trade is at a complete standstill, and misery is general.

The French minister has formally protested against the action of the Chinese in boarding a French mail steamer on Saturday last.

A letter from the resident at Seoul states that a large military hospital has been erected on the heights, and that numbers of invalid Japanese are treated there. The building is crowded with patients. It is reported that constant conflicts are taking place between the outposts.

THE JAPAN-COREAN TREATY.

Minister Kurino Thinks It Will Prove Highly Advantageous to Corea.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 12.—Mr. Kurino, the Japanese minister, talked to an Associated Press reporter today regarding the new treaty between Japan and Corea.

"We have nothing but the announcement of the treaty," he said, "but my inference from its terms is that it will prove highly advantageous to Corea. There has existed there under Chinese auspices the most corrupt system of government known. The constant intrigues of China there have been a threat to the peace of the east. The Japanese government has desired the settlement of the question only for the peace of the east.

"With the assurance of autonomy to Corea which is the design of this treaty there will be opportunity for great improvements in her system of government, internal administration and other affairs. Already she has advanced from the condition of the rule of an individual influenced by China and has a cabinet of six members and a prime minister, to whom the ruler looks for advice and guidance. This change was made under advice of the Japanese representative at Seoul."

Mr. Kurino said he did not think the treaty could be called a step towards a peaceful settlement with China, as China was taken out on sentimental grounds of her claim of suzerainty. China might, he said, have put a veto to the rule ideas before now by consenting to some improvements in Corean affairs.

Society of the War of 1812.

BALTIMORE, Sept. 12.—The Society of the War of 1812, which has in charge the celebration at Fort McHenry today, "Old Defenders' Day," have made special effort to secure the presence of the descendants Francis Scott Key, the author of the "Star Spangled Banner," and the descendants of those who were interested in, or connected with, the early history of that national anthem. They now promise the presence of Mr. Edward Lloyd Key and his sisters, Misses Mary Alecia Key, of Baltimore and Elizabeth Harwood Lloyd Key, of Washington. Grandchildren of Francis Scott Key. Mr. Frederick Durang and the Misses Durang, of Philadelphia, Children of Charles Durang, who was the first person to sing the "Star Spangled Banner," will also be present.

Duel with Knives.

BOWLING GREEN, Ky., Sept. 12.—A frightful duel with knives was fought by two prominent farmers, Thomas Osborne and Marcus Murphy, near Polkville. Murphy's logs broke into Osborne's corn field and this caused the trouble. The two cut and slashed each other in an indescribably frightful manner, and both were found dying in pools of blood.

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A Binghamton Baby.

BINGHAMTON, N. Y., Sept. 21, 1893.

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PENNSYLVANIA DEMOCRATS.

Thomas Collins and Henry Meyer Nominated for Congress.

HARRISBURG, Sept. 12.—The Democratic state convention reconvened here to fill the vacancies on the state ticket caused by the death of Hannibal K. Sloan, of Indiana county, and the withdrawal of ex-Judge Bucher, of Union, the nominees for congressmen-at-large. In the absence of Attorney General Hensel, permanent chairman of the recent convention, who was detained by an important court case, Benjamin F. Meyers, of Harrisburg, presided. There was a small representation of delegates.

Resolutions reaffirming the June platform and rejoicing over the repeal of the McKinley bill were passed.

The nomination of candidates for congressman-at-large being next in order, W. H. Bradley, of Lycoming, nominated Thomas Collins, of Bellefonte. The nomination was seconded by John Donohue, of Philadelphia, and R. M. Linton, of Somerset. Ex-Representative Cowan, of Westmoreland, named Henry Meyer, of Allegheny. The nomination was seconed by John Schwartz, of Lehigh, and John Ward, of Philadelphia.

Both were made the unanimous choice of the convention.

There being no other business, Chairman Meyers adjourned the meeting sine die.

The Maine Election.

AUGUSTA, Me., Sept. 12.—It is claimed by Republicans—that Governor Cleaves' plurality will reach 35,000, but Mr. Manley's estimate of 37,000 is generally regarded as correct. The greatest surprise is in the complexion of the house, which will have but nine Democrats, three from Aroostook county, two from Washington county, and one from Knox, one from Waldo, and possibly one from Penobscot county. Reed's plurality in the First district is 8,329; Dingley's in the Second, 8,800; Milliken's in the Third, 8,500, and Boutelle's in the Fourth, 8,000.

Armenian Prisoners Released.

LONDON, Sept. 12.—Replying to representations made by the Armenian communities in England, India and the United States, the Earl of Kimberly, secretary of state for foreign affairs, writes that he has received a telegraphic report from the British consul at Angora, Asiatic Turkey, saying that, in accordance with the instructions of the porte, all the Armenians, to the number of 170, who were sentenced by the Yuzgart court, have been released, and orders have been given to reopen the cases of the seventeen who were sentenced to death.

"Boy Evangelist" Wedded.

WESTMINSTER, Md., Sept. 12.—At the Christian Workers' camp meeting, Linwood, Carroll county, a number of persons witnessed the marriage of Joseph W. Gross to Mary Etta Carter, both of Wilmington, Del. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Edmund Walton, the manager of the camp. Mr. Gross is known as the "Boy Evangelist," and is not 21. The consent of his mother had to be obtained before he could be married to his bride, who is but 20.

No Sugar Bounty.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 12.—Secretary Carlisle, in a letter addressed to Senator Caffery, of Louisiana, officially decided that under the new tariff law it would be unlawful to appoint inspectors, weighers and testers of boiling sugars under the McKinley act, and, further, that congress, having made no appropriation for the employment of such persons, the laws of the United States prohibit the employment of such persons to serve without pay.

A Quarrel Results Fatally.

DAYTON, O., Sept. 12.—Early in the morning Ben P. Travies, aged 55, a pensioner, and Mrs. A. Barten, aged 54, his paramour, engaged in a quarrel with fatal results. The woman used a club on Travies, inflicting wounds about the head from which he died a few hours later. She gave herself up to the police and claimed that the blows were struck in defending herself from his drunken brutality.

A Handsome Residence Burned.

LANCASTER, Pa., Sept. 12.—The handsome home of John W. Heimenz, on East Orange street, the fashionable residence section of the city, was completely gutted by fire, shortly after 11 o'clock last night. The house was unoccupied, and is supposed that the fire originated from the imperfect insulation of the electric light wires.

A Drunken Man's Dead.

BROOKLYN, Sept. 12.—Peter McArdle, 29 years old, of 72 York street, while intoxicated, threw his 5 year old niece, Mamie McArdle, out of the second story back window to the ground. He then jumped after her. She is internally injured and likely to die. McArdle was slightly injured, [illegible] by a witness. He [illegible].

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THE BOYS IN BLUE.

Forty Thousand Men March in the Great Parade.

MAY BE THEIR LAST REVIEW.

The Veterans Are Growing too Old to Stand the Fatigue of Marching, and Action Will Probably be Taken Abolishing the Procession as an Encampment Feature.

PITTSBURG, Sept. 12.—Yesterday passed with fewer accidents than were expected, and none were serious. Several women fainted in the crowds which thronged the sidewalks to witness the grand parade, and a few prostrations among the veterans were reported, but such thorough preparations had been made for this class of cases by the hospital corps of the National Guard that immediate attention was given and speedy relief afforded. The police arrangements for handling the immense crowd (conservatively estimated at 750,000) were as nearly perfect as possible, and the streets along the route were kept absolutely clear for the use of the marchers.

Forty thousand men who fought to save the union marched through the cities of Pittsburg and Allegheny in the grand parade of the Grand Army of the Republic.

The parade started from the historic Monongahela House, on the banks of the river from which it takes its name. First came Company A, Second battalion, Naval Reserves, guard of honor to Commander-in-Chief Adams. Then followed the departments of the Grand Army of the Republic, in the following order: Illinois, Wisconsin, Ohio, New York, Connecticut, Massachusetts, New Jersey, Maine, California, Rhode Island, New Hampshire, Vermont, Potomac, Virginia and North Carolina, Maryland, Nebraska, Michigan, Iowa, Colorada and Wyoming; Kansas, Delaware, Minnesota, Missouri, Oregon, Kentucky, West Virginia, South Dakota, Washington and Alaska; Arkansas, New Mexico, Utah, Tennessee, Louisiana and Mississippi; Florida, Montana, Texas, Idaho, Arizona, Georgia, Alabama, North Dakota, Oklahoma and Indian Territory; Indiana and Pennsylvania.

Governor Pattison, of Pennsylvania, with his staff and a number of notable men and women from all parts of the country, occupied the reviewing stand in the Allegheny park, and saluted each division as it swung and passed in review.

This was probably the last time the veterans will turn out in such force, as it is seriously contemplated by the Grand Army of the Republic officials, in view of the advancing age and infirmities of the members, to abandon this most attractive feature of the national encampment.

A neat tribute by the veterans paid the memory of the famous dead was the reverend raising of hats by each division as it approached the triumphal arch on Fifth avenue, in front of the Associated Press office. The life like statues of Washington, Lincoln and Grant surmounting the arch, were given this recognition by almost every division passing through. The weather continued cool and bright throughout the entire day.

The nearest approach to undue excitement was at 8 o'clock last evening, when three alarms were turned in for a fire on Union street, just at the foot of Fifth avenue. The Union hotel was ablaze, and from its location in the midst of old and closely built business blocks, great alarm was felt. The fire was soon controlled, but the excitement among the immense number of promenaders on the streets did not die out for some time.

The Kentucky delegation, in recognition of his courtesies to them, have had made a handsomely designed gold mounted gavel, which will be presented to General Adams in behalf of the delegation. The gavel is in one piece, and was cut from a large tree on the Lincoln homestead, in Larned county, Ky. Engraved upon a plate of gold affixed upon the face is a portrait of Lincoln. Upon the other is a fac simile of the badge of the G. A. R. The handle also is covered with beautiful designs in gold.

Several notable campfires were held last evening, at which addresses were made by Governor Pattison, Henry Watterson, Senator Manderson, General Butterfield, Governor McKinley, Governor Rich, Congressman Stone, General Alger, Church Howe, of Nebraska, William K. Ketcham, of Indiana, Judge Hicks, of Minnesota; L. D. Woodworth, of Ohio; Admiral Osborn, Joseph B. Wendle, of Indiana; General Trowbridge, of Michigan, and others.

The G. A. R. political situation is very hot, and the friends of the several candidates for commander-in-chief are working like beavers for their friends. Indications now point to the election of L. M. Walker, of Texas, as commander-in-chief and to Louisville as the place of meeting for the next encampment.

Judge Longs, of Michigan, withdraws from the race for G. A. R. commander-in-chief. In his letter he states that his withdrawal is to prevent discord or the possible introduction of any political question.

The National Confederate Union Ex-Prisoners of War met last evening and re-elected the present officers for another year. No other business of general interest was transacted. The president is Charles D. Davis, [illegible], vice president, George W. [illegible], secretary and secretary treasurer [illegible] Niagara. The ex-prisoners were [illegible] city.

The National Association of Naval Veterans [illegible] morning in the G. A. R. hall, the [illegible] Grand Army Post, W. E. Mason [illegible] meeting. [illegible] Brooklyn, N. Y., was elected commander, J. J. [illegible] Washington.

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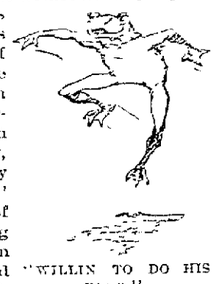
THE CROWD WITH HIM

JUMPIN JOE OF CHEROKEE REFUSES AN OFFER.

The Owner of an Educated Hog and Jumping Frog Skips Off, and His Widow Yearns for Joe, but It's No Use Helping Her Out.

"A HEN SAYS, CONSIDERABLE HOG."

"Hev you any last wishes about yer grave—about the p'ints of the compass and the sort of flowers to be planted? Sum folks ar' a bit particklar about sich things, ye know, and mebbe they hev a right to be."



"WILLIN TO DO HIS BEST."

"I'm not one of the kind. So long as I can't live in Cherokee and travel about with an edicated hog and a jumpin frog I don't keer what happens. Kin I indulge in the hope that we shall meet later on?"

"Ye kin," sez I, feelin the unbidden tears springin to my eyes.

"Then, that's about all," sez he as he looks the crowd over, "and it will be as well to proceed to bizness."

"Would it be in order fur me to sing sunthin at this stage of the game?" I asks, feelin that I was in his debt and bein willin to smooth his way as much as possible.

"I'd be willin," he sez, "but the crowd seems impatient to git over to the saloon. Jest as much obliged as if ye'd sung all day. Be kind to the hog and remember that a frog has feelin's as well as human bein's."

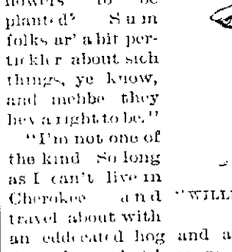
Then they hung him. I tried to argue with 'em, but they said it was their way and went on with the performance. I was goin over to the barn to take posseshun of the jumpin frog when a woman stops me and sez:

"What d'ye intend to do about this yere calamity, if I may be so bold as to ask?"

"Ar' ye the relict of the critter who got the halter intended fur me?" I asks.

"The same. The funeral will take place right away, and them's my nine children a howlin and lamentin fur the loss of a father who had nuthin but luv in his heart."

"Be assured, ma'am," sez I as I places my hand on my heart and scrapes my right foot over the sile—"be assured that ye hev my heartfelt sympathies in this yer hour of darkness."



"I'M SETTIN AT THE CARCASS OF JOE'S FOOT."

"Heartfelt sympathies be durned!" she sez as she bristles up to me. "It was at the carcass of Joe's foot ye hev to take his place and not a father to them lamentin young uns! I don't want to seem too forward about it, but bizness is bizness just now, and the marriage needn't be delayed over a week."

"I'm sorry for you, ma'am, as I hev perhaps is fore mushrooms, but I must decline with thanks. While they calls me Jumpin Joe, and while I pride myself on bein a jumper in luck, I hain't okkal to jumpin a family of 10 till I gits a new pair of hoss und'rstan'in's. In sich an alliance I'm willin, but there's a limit to things even in Cherokee."

I got the best chaw within 10 miles of town and, feelin a trifle to onsettle me, I sold the widder my gittar for the mule and waggin and lit out in a few days and I ain't to say yit. I think I'll settle somewhere, sumday, and go into farmin, but I'm afeard I'll allers be a stranger. I'm goin it alone with a waggon load of young uns on my hands at the age of 47 sharp.

I hope now the sensashun in all its fullness will, and I'm willin to do the proper thing. I'll bear the funeral expenses of poor Joe and all and kill a fat hen daily for the pilgrim who's a hangin to the end of that rope up there has seen fit to wrath about him and my distinguished career will turn it over to you. I'll give un and with ye to see and cheer them last throbs and, lastly, I'll gun-post ye and warn all critters about yere within a week or two for ye to make up with a new to matrimony."

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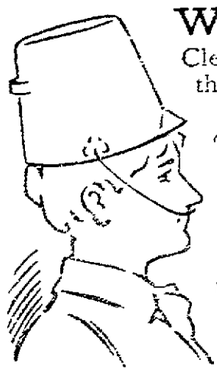
What to do with Milk Pails!



Clean them with Pearline. You can't get them so thoroughly sweet and pure in any other way. Besides, it's easier for you—quicker, more economical.

"The butter and barrel churn are not hard to keep clean. A little hot water and a little Pearline will clean any churn or do away with any bad odor."—*The Dairy World*, Chicago.

Perhaps you think that some of the imitations of Pearline, that you'd be afraid to use in washing clothes, would do just as well in work like this. They wouldn't hurt thwarts, certainly. But they wouldn't clean it, either, half as well as Pearline—besides don't play with the fire. If your grocer sends you an imitation, be honest—send it back. 490 JAMES PYLE, New York.

"America's Greatest Men and Women."

AMERICA'S GREATEST MEN AND WOMEN.

MR. WILSON TALKS.

MY Name is Wilson; I do an insurance business on LaSalle street, in Chicago Ill., and I live in Evanston, Ill. Evanston is what was originally a scattering population on a pretty point on Lake Michigan, esteemed years ago far from the city of Chicago, but now one of the varied towns which may go within it by vote of the population.

I am married and have a wife and one child. That child is a boy (I suppose I should feel the same solicitude if it was a girl), and I have a father's natural fancies as to what must be the best thing to give that child the right kind of intelligence, and so divert his course that he may succeed in life. I have studied a great deal upon the subject. My own experience would not be of great value, because I have succeeded only to the limit of the average man and am barely established; still, I own the house and lot upon which I live, and am feeling perfectly safe in meeting the exigencies of the year. I want the boy to take a broader view than I did to be a bigger man in the world. I have studied how to teach him to do that, and he has done pretty well, as far as the preliminaries go. Now, I have thought over what I should say to him and have sometimes been puzzled. I could not very well tell him what to do. I wanted to tell him what I needed but what I did not learn myself when I was of his age, and what my father did not know how to tell me, or else was not thoughtful enough to do so. I wanted to tell him how to follow the example of those who have succeeded at the present time and under the circumstances which ordinarily affect a young man struggling in this Republic established on this comparatively new world to-day. I wanted to tell him just what he had better do to get along well, and to point out to him what had been done by the people who were successful at the present time.

Of course, the record of the people of any time past would not be of so much value, because circumstances must necessarily have been different when they were alive. I feel confident, though, that if I could learn, some way and somehow, what the people who are so successful to day have done and how they did it, I could give to my boy such advice as would make his own life at least as far removed from failure as justified by the natural ability he may possess.

I looked around for some authority which I might consult in order to give him the facts most essential with this idea of mine in mind, but I could find none until I discovered that a great publishing firm in Chicago had decided to bring out a book giving the photographs of all the people who are prominent in America to-day. Here was what I wanted. The book, as I have learned, is going to be published in 16 parts, 16 pages to each, with a recent photograph on each page of some active leading American man or woman of to-day, while underneath appears the story of that same person's life—the story telling what that person did, and how the ends attained were eventually accomplished. Here was what I wanted; here was what I needed in various ways; here was what I was certainly seeking in order to obtain the information with which to educate my boy and secure for him that knowledge which will give him a source of thought and make him prominent in the world.

I have the first sheets of this work. It is a graphic story of America's Greatest Men and Women, told in each instance on a single page underneath a photograph of recent date, which conveys to the eye an idea of what that person is. To me the photograph tells even more than the suggestive record beneath; and yet it is odd how in each instance the correct story corresponds with the expression upon the face which is reproduced in the portrait above. I do not know how the series will end. I know very little about this new feature of the newspaper people; I know nothing about the publishers and their expectations, but I do know this: that if the series so begun should be continued to its practical, ordinary good sense end—and I don't care whether that will include 200 or 700 of America's Greatest Men and Women, which is the title of the book—I do know this, that for the ordinary, active and alert business man—I will certainly say far more for the student or the literary man, or the politician or the statesman—for all these I will say it will be simply the most valuable and the most remarkable book produced in modern history. The wonder is that some one has not thought of it before. Yet no one seems to have done so since the days of Plutarch. Plutarch knew something. That shrewd old fellow knew that all who would get out of the drift, all who would accomplish great things, wanted to know every detail of the lives of those who had better luck or more courage or a broader brain than their fellows; but I am no authority on these points. I only know that there is produced a second Plutarch's Lives, that its biographies are shrewd, graphic and curt, and written without bias and without prejudice. I only know that there was a Plutarch—God bless the old fellow—and that there is this modern work.

This is the work I am going to give to my boy. I am going to make him read it thoroughly. The work is announced as consisting of 16 Parts, with 16 pages and 16 photographs in each part, and when bound, the whole series will make a great volume of 256 pages, the like of which has never been equaled. It is the story of the personal character of the men and women who are making the nation's history at this particular time. What a work this is! Do you imagine that I would miss it for my boy, or, incidentally, for myself?

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By order Board of Directors.

SEYMOUR DEWITT, Cashier.

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One Method of Defense.

The prisoner stood in the dock who ought to have been in the penitentiary a year ago, and the judge was trying to make him understand that he had no right to do the things he had done. "Now, sir," he said, "you must see that you have been guilty of a very grave offense. What have you to say for yourself?"

"Considerable," he said, but he only looked at the judge. "Why don't you speak up?" the judge asked. "Because," he answered, "I thought if I would stand here and look as much like a fool as I could, you would be apt to let me off easy."

Always a Chance.

"You are quite a stranger here. You ought not to go about asking people for help when you are able to earn a living by working for it. Can't you find a job of any kind?"

"Yes'm. I was offered a job the other day, but I didn't think the pay was big enough. All they would give me was $4 a week."

"You could have got $4 a week?"

"Yes'm."

"Well, that's a great deal better than nothing. If you could earn as much as that at the beginning and stick to your work faithfully, you would be certain to get a raise some day, wouldn't you?"

"Y-yes'm, I guess so. It was in a dynamite factory."—Chicago Tribune.

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None More So.

Lady—You said this coal was economical. Why, it won't burn at all.

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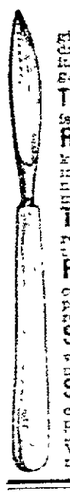
A SURGEON'S KNIFE



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For the information of our readers we publish below a complete list of the numbers and locations of all the fire alarm boxes in this city:

14—Wickham ave., Cor. Prince, O. & W. R. R.
15—North street and Low avenue, flat shops.
16—North street and Wickham Ave., tyre shop.
17—Railroad Ave. and Montgomery St.
18—Grand avenue and Prince street.
23—Wickham avenue, corner Liberty street.
24—West Main street, corner West street.
25—North street, corner Wickham avenue.
26—James and Henry streets.
27—North and John streets, Erie crossing.
28—Lake avenue and West street.
29—W. Main street, corner Mechagen avenue.
213—State Hospital.
214—Prospect street and Highland avenue.
34—Fulton and Mill streets, flat shops.
35—High and Hanford streets.
36—Canal street, confectionery.
37—Mulberry and Pine streets.
41—Fulton street and East avenue.
42—Academy and Hudson streets.
43—E. Main street and Erie road avenue.
45—E. Main street, foot of Orchard street.
46—Academy street and Genung street.
47—Myrtle and Prospect avenues.
48—Grant street and Sprague avenue.
57—Franklin Square.

MIDDLETOWN TIME CARD.

The following is the time of departure of passenger trains from Middletown stations beginning June 17th, '94, and continuing until further notice:

N. Y. L. E. & W. RAILROAD.

LEAVE BOUND.

NO.	FOR	FROM	TIME
111	Chicago Express	PAWNS ST.	4:05 A. M.
8	Buffalo Express	MAIN ST.	6:01 "
26	Middletown Way Train	"	7:35 "
18	Orange Co. Express	"	9:03 "
24	Mountain Express	"	9:15 "
28	Local via L. V. R. R.	"	10:55 "
1	Way Mail & Express	"	11:30 "
5	Chicago Express	"	1:45 P. M.
7	Chicago Limited	"	4:45 "
11	Milk	"	7:05 "
14	Wells Fargo Express	"	8:00 "
6	Port Jervis Local	"	8:00 A. M.
62	Port Jervis Express	"	5:15 P. M.
124	M. & C. Branch, arrives	"	8:05 A. M.
130	M. & C. Branch, arrives	"	5:05 P. M.

WEST BOUND

117	Milk		7:05 A. M.
21	Port Jervis Way		11:05 A. M.
1	Day Express		12:55 "
11	Port Jervis Local		4:05 P. M.
55	Port Jervis Express		7:05 "
123	Chicago Limited		9:05 "
3	Mountain Express		5:05 A. M.
16	Orange Co. Express		7:47 "
26	Middletown Way, arrives		7:55 "
17	C. & G. T. Express		9:40 "
29	Emigrant		11:00 "
13	Chicago Express		12:40 A. M.
671	Pt. Jervis Way (Sun. only)		10:40 A. M.
625	" " "		3:15 P. M.
6	" " "		9:42 "
101	M. & C. Branch train		11:05 A. M.
5115	" "		6:05 P. M.

Trains marked with a ‖ run daily. Trains Nos. 55, 5, 6, 7, 8 and 62 run Sunday only. All other trains daily except Sunday. Train No. 3 will only stop for passengers for Pine Hamilton or west. Application for information must be given at the ticket office. Trains with the following letters attached indicate connections as follows: "O." with Newburgh via Greycourt; "T." with Newburgh Short Cut Branch, via Turners; "M." with Montgomery Branch; "P." with Pine Island Branch.

Passenger trains for Middletown leave foot of Chambers street, New York, at 6:15, 7:45, 9:15, 10:30 a. m.; 1:00, 3:30, 4:30, 5:30, 7:00, 8:45 p. m. Sundays only 11:30 p. m.

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LEAVE WICKHAM AVENUE.

SOUTH BOUND.

Milk	5:47 A. M.
Day Express	9:55 "
Sullivan County Express	1:47 P. M.
Pacific Express	10:50 "

SOUTH BOUND.

Atlantic Express	6:33 A. M.
No. 3	8:05 "
Day Express	4:50 P. M.
No 12	6:55 "

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The chart for the advance sale of tickets for the Casino Theatre will hereafter be found at H. S. Dusenberry & Son's jewelry store, 4 North street.

SUNK BY A STEAMER

A Schooner Cut in Two and Four Men Drowned.

NEW YORK, Sept. 12.—The steamer Portia, from Halifax, has arrived at City Island, and reports that she ran into and sunk the three masted schooner Dora M. French about four miles from Cuddyhunk light. Four out of the five men comprising the schooner's crew were drowned. The accident occurred in a dense fog. The steamer was running at full speed, blowing her whistle at short intervals. She struck the sailing vessel just forward of the foremast and cut her in two. The latter sank in less than two minutes, going down head foremost, and leaving her broken foremast and sails across the Portia's bow.

One man could be seen swimming amidst the wreckage, and two others were visible just below striving to reach the surface, but they were caught in the vortex and borne down. A boat was quickly lowered by the steamer and one man picked up. His name is Jeremiah Murphy, of New York. He was mate of the lost vessel and gives the following account of the disaster:

The Portia also suffered considerable damage. Her foretopmast was carried away and forty feet of rail lost. A hole was stove in the starboard bow just below the water line, and the forward compartment filled with water. The passengers were at lunch at the time of the collision, and several were badly scared.

By a strange fatality Dr. Cook and seventeen members of his ill-starred Arctic expedition were on board. This is the third serious marine disaster in which they have had part within the last two months. The Portia was a sister ship to the lost Miranda, on which the Cook party sailed for the northern seas, and which was sunk in the ice.

Fatal Mine Explosion.

ASHLAND, Pa., Sept. 12.—Yesterday afternoon a terrible explosion of gas occurred in the Centralia colliery lines, operated by L. A. Riley & Co. George Electra was instantly killed, James Fergartey was fatally injured, and John Cook was seriously burned. Two Hungarian laborers whose names could not be learned were also injured. The gas was ignited by Electra's naked lamp. His body was frightfully mangled and burned. Fergarety was thrown a distance of thirty feet along the gangway and was injured internally.

The Phillips-McCoy Feud Renewed.

HUNTINGTON, W. Va., Sept. 12.—Reports have reached here of fresh trouble in Logan county between the Phillips-McCoy factions. On Saturday evening the parties met near Williamson and several shots were fired on both sides. Three men were seriously injured. Sunday evening the McCoys followed the Phillips faction to church at Thacker, and another riot took place. John Phillips was shot and cannot recover and two of the McCoy crowd were also injured.

A Hundred Natives Killed.

ZANZIBAR, Sept. 12.—Mr. Beazley and the Rev. Mr. Firminger, who reached Dar Es Salaam, German East Africa, in a dhow from Kilwa, off that coast, on Sept. 8, have arrived here, and report that the governor's house at Kilwa was attacked by 2,000 natives, armed with flintlock rifles, on the morning of Sept. 7. The fight lasted two hours and the natives were repulsed with a loss of 100 killed. The Germans lost one Soudanese soldier killed and one German soldier wounded.

Married on His Deathbed.

SCRANTON, Pa., Sept. 12.—W. J. Thompson and Mrs. Mary McQuade were married here, beside the former's deathbed. An hour later the newly wedded man expired, after having made a will, leaving everything he had to his bride. The latter had been granted a divorce from her second husband, but a few hours before the wedding she had been living with Thompson, as his wife, for the past year. The deceased was formerly chairman of the Democratic county committee, and died of consumption.

A Brewer Killed by a Bartender.

CHICAGO, Sept. 12.—Thomas Cantwell, son of Thomas Cantwell, president of the Fidelity Brewing company, was killed by Thomas Mahan, a bartender at No. 2 State street. Cantwell and two others whose names are not known, and who escaped, entered the saloon as the bartender was counting the proceeds of the day's sales, and demanded the money. Cantwell was in advance of the others and covered the bartender with a revolver.

Stage Coach Held Up.

PHOENIX, Ariz., Sept. 12.—Word has reached here that a stage was held up seven miles south of Congress by two masked highwaymen. Six passengers were in the coach. They were relieved of all their valuables, the bandits securing $300 in coin. Officers are in pursuit of the robbers.

Killed by a Lightning Bolt.

NORRISTOWN, Pa., Sept. 12.—Elwood Ely, son of Amos Ely, a farmer, of Horsham township, near Ambler, was struck by lightning during the prevalence of a severe rain and electrical storm, and was instantly killed. He was 30 years old, and leaves a wife and child.

Don Pio Pico Dead.

LOS ANGELES, Cal., Sept. 12.—Don Pio Pico, the last Mexican governor of California, died here. Don Pio Pico was born in 1800 and was one of the most prominent men in California during the Mexican regime in that country.

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YESTERDAY'S BASEBALL GAMES.

National League.

At Pittsburg—First game: Pittsburg, 9; Philadelphia, 7. Second game: Pittsburg, 9; Philadelphia, 8. At Chicago—Chicago, 17; Boston, 2. At Cleveland—First game: Cleveland, 13; New York, 3. Second game: New York, 9, Cleveland, 1.

Eastern League.

At Scranton—Springfield, 14; Scranton, 10. At Buffalo—Yonkers, 8; Buffalo, 4. At Erie—Wilkesbarre, 6; Erie, 3. At Syracuse—Syracuse, 9; Providence, 5.

Pennsylvania State League.

At Philadelphia—Reading, 8; Philadelphia, 6. At Lancaster—Lancaster, 9; Hazleton, 3. At Pottsville—Pottsville, 14; Ashland, 8. At Harrisburg—First game: Harrisburg, 5; Shenandoah, 4. Second game: Shenandoah, 6; Harrisburg, 2.

Millionaire Leisenring at Death's Door.

HAZLETON, Pa., Sept. 12.—Private cablegrams received in this city from Hamburg, Germany, announce that E. B. Leisenring, the multi-millionaire, of Upper Lehigh, is at the point of death at that place. Mr. Leisenring sailed in August for the benefit of his health, which has grown rapidly worse. Mrs Leisenring will sail for Hamburg on Thursday. Mr. Leisenring is president of the Lehigh Coal and Navigation company, vice president of the Central Railroad of New Jersey and has extensive mining interests in this state.

Garment Workers' Strike Nearing an End.

NEW YORK, Sept. 12.—The strike of the coat and garment makers will probably be settled before the end of the week. The strikers claim a complete victory. It is said that about eighty of the contractors have signed the bond demanded by their employes, and that about 3,000 have returned to work.

STOCK AND PRODUCE MARKETS

Closing Quotations of the New York and Philadelphia Exchanges.

NEW YORK, Sept. 11.—At the opening of business on the Stock Exchange today there was an active buying demand, which was most marked in the granger shares. Closing bids:

Lehigh Valley	58¾	W. N. Y. & Pa.	6⅛
Pennsylvania	51⅞	Erie	15⅞
Reading	21¾	D. L. & W.	160¾
St. Paul	66¾	West Shore	104½
Lehigh Nav.	51	N. Y. Central	101¼
N. Y. & N. E. 3d pf.	27¼	Lake Erie & W.	19½
New Jersey Cen.	115¾	Del. & Hudson.	135

General Markets.

PHILADELPHIA, Sept. 11.—Flour dull; winter superfine, $2 10@2 25; do extras, $2 25@2 40; No. 2 winter family, $2 40@2 50; Pennsylvania roller straight, $2 50@2 65; western winter, clear, $2 40@2 60. Wheat a shade easier and dull, with 57⅝c bid and 57c asked for September. Corn dull, unchanged, with 63⅝c. bid and 64⅛c. asked for September. Oats quiet, firm with 36¼c. bid and 37c asked for September. Beef quiet. Pork quiet. Lard easier; prime western steam, $8.30. Butter steady; western dairy, 15½@17c; western, 15@16c; Elgins, 24c; state creamery prints, fancy 23c; do choice 21@22c; do fair to good 18@20c; prints jobbing at 24@27c. Cheese quiet; large, 8½@9½c; small, 9½@10¼c; part skims 4@7½c; full skims 2@3½c. Eggs firm, New York and Pennsylvania 19c.; western, 18@19c; cases $1 75@3.

Live Stock Markets.

NEW YORK, Sept. 11.—European cables quote American steers 10½@12½c. per lb., dressed weight; refrigerator beef, 8½@9c. per lb. Calves quiet, fair veals, poor to prime, $3@7 per 100 lbs. Sheep and lambs active; sheep poor to good $2 50@4 per 100 lbs; lambs, common to prime, $3 75@5 50, no prime or choice offered. Hogs firmer, inferior to choice, $6 10@6 40 per 100 lbs.

EAST LIBERTY, Pa., Sept. 11.—Cattle market active and strong; prime, $5@5 25; good, $4 75@5; tidy butchers, $4 50@4 75; fair, $4 25@4 50; common, $3 50@4; bulls, $2 50@3 50; fresh cows and springers, $20@45. Hogs active; Philadelphias, $5 30@5 40; best Yorkers, $5 25@5 30; common Yorkers and pigs, $5@5 10; roughs, $4 50@4 75; stags, $3@3 50. Sheep and lambs steady; prime wethers, $4 25@4 40; good, $4@4 25; fair, $3 50@3 75; culls and common, $2@3; spring lambs, $5@6 25; veal calves, $6@6 50.

MET THEIR MATCHES.

Two Californians Who Learned the Fair Regulations a Month Too Late.

Frank Happersberg, the sculptor, and Jim Yung, the restaurateur, were out viewing the remains of the Midwinter fair a few weeks ago when both found themselves with cigars and without matches.

"Ah, I have it," remarked Yung. "Come over to Manufactures building. I know a friend there who has a match exhibit, and we can get what we want."

They walked to the booth, and as the proprietor wasn't there Jim took the liberty of helping himself to the great pile of wax matches.

"Take all you want, Frank," he remarked. "He's got a wagonload here and don't want them."

Happersberg commenced filling his pockets. "I'll need some at my studio," and he filled his trousers pockets. "Ought to have some at my room, too," and his vest pockets were loaded. "We always need them on my naphtha launch," and his coat pockets commenced to bulge.

"Guess I'll take some home," remarked Jim as he commenced loading his clothes. "A few wouldn't come amiss at the restaurant either."

Then they walked out looking like a pair of smugglers loaded for a customs officer. At the door they met the owner of the booth. Happersberg had been scratching matches on his trousers the whole length of the building, but they wouldn't light. Yung had also worn a slick streak on his pantaloons.

"What's the matter with these matches?" he inquired of the exhibitor.

"What matches?"

"Why, yours. We helped ourselves to a box or two, as you weren't there."

"Oh, there is no phosphorus on them. The fair managers wouldn't allow genuine matches in the building. These are just painted wax."

Yung and Happersberg stole down to Stow lake and unloaded.—San Francisco Post.

From Sire to Son.

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OVER THE SHAWANGUNKS.

WHAT OUR NEIGHBORS IN SULLIVAN COUNTY ARE DOING.

All the News from All Parts of the County—Many Matters of Interest Condensed from our Sullivan Exchanges and Contributed by Wide-Awake Correspondents.

—The gate receipts of the Sullivan County Fair at Monticello, last week, were only $859. Last year they were $1,173.

—There are still fifty guests at the Hotel Wawonda, Liberty. The house will close for the season not later than Sept. 20.

—John T. Heath, of Monticello, who has been in the Government printing office for several years, has been granted an indefinite leave of absence.

—John S. Prince and George A. Waldorf, bondsmen for Frank Teel, of Hurleyville, who skipped after being released on bail on a charge of sending obscene pictures and printed matter through the mails, offer a reward of $100 for his capture. The liability of the bondsmen is $5,000.

—E. R. Dusenbery, Richard Gildersleeve and Victory Champlin will represent Liberty in the Republican county convention. They favor the nomination of John Murphy for Sheriff, and were elected after a sharp contest by a vote of 69 to 62. Eli Starr, A. P. DuBois and William Smith, the Rockland delegates, favor Murphy. The town of Thompson delegates favor the nomination of John R. Rice.

TO WELCOME THE DOCTORS.

The Meeting of the State Homeopathic Society at the State Hospital.

From the Conglomerate.

Several hundred active and wide-awake homeopathic M. D.'s are expected here on the 25th and 26th. Arrangements are being made to make the meeting of the State Homeopathic Medical Society a success.

Dr. Talcott says he will give them a Swedish *smorgasbord*, or antepprandial free lunch and relisher. He speaks interestingly as follows:

"In Sweden, previous to indulging in the regular meal, they patronize the *smorgasbord* or relisher, where fish of all kinds, cheese, Russian caviare sandwiches, tid bits of deer, etc., high relishes and birch brandy are partaken of as appetizers. It is situated in an ante-room or entrance to the main dining hall, and guests partake of the relishes on their way."

Dr. Talcott says he trusts his *smorgasbord* will be as acceptable to the visiting doctors, as the board was to the farmer's hired man, as the story goes:

Farmer—Is it not good enough?

Hired Man—Yes, what there is of it.

F.—Is there not enough of it?

H. M.—Yes, such as it is.

He trusts it will at least stimulate them for the intellectual feasts following in the sessions of the society. Welcome to the doctors!

KILLED HIS LITTLE SISTER.

A Sussex County Boy Gives His Sister a Fatal Dose of Morphine.

Little Elna Van Ness, aged two years and two months, died at the home of her parents in Hainesville, Sussex county, on Friday, from the effects of a dose of morphine administered by her brother, a little boy, but two or three years older than herself. The child died in three hours after swallowing the poison.

This is another warning to parents to keep medicines out of the reach of children.

MINNIE LESTER AT THE CASINO.

A Good Performanne, Last Night—"The Little Busy Body," To-night.

Miss Lester's second appearance at the Casino, last evening, drew another enthusiastic audience to see her in "Annette, the Dancing Girl." The company supported Miss Lester in a capable manner, and dressed the parts excellently. The little lady's dancing as a sailor boy in the second act was highly appreciated.

To-night she will appear in "The Little Busy Body." Excellent music, new specialties and some special scenery will go to make up an excellent bill to-night.

JOHNSON.

Saturday's Ball Game—Peaches and Cream—Personal Notes.

Correspondence ARGUS and MERCURY.

—The Johnson ball nine defeated the Unionville club in a game played at this place Saturday last.

—Mr. James Nolan returned to New York, Saturday, after three weeks' vacation with friends at this place.

—The Johnson base ball club will hold a peach and cream festival in the grove in this village, Friday evening, Sept. 14th.

—Mrs. William Conkling, of Philadelphia, visited her uncle, Mr. John Gallagher, near Millsbury, last week.

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ANTHONY COMSTOCK'S PRISONERS.

A. B. Teel and George Watts Held for the Federal Grand Jury.

Ambrose B. Teel, sixty-five years old, of Hurleyville, N. Y., and George Watts, sixty-four, a resident of South Fallsburgh, N. Y., were arraigned before United States Commissioner Alexander, yesterday, by Anthony Comstock on the charge of using the mails for the dissemination of obscene literature. They were held in $2,500 each for the Federal Grand Jury.

ARMOUR'S POOR RELATIONS.

The Big Packer Tells a Funny Story About One He Hasn't Made Rich.

It has been a matter of current report for years among board of trade men that Phil Armour has no poor relations, says a Chicago newspaper man. "He will not allow any of them to remain poor," a veteran of the board remarked by way of explanation of this unusual good fortune of a rich man. "He makes them all rich."

"I have heard that story before," Mr. Armour remarked, with a smile, when one of his friends asked him about it the other day. "But it's a mistake. I have enough of them."

Then the big packer burst out in a laugh, and his friends knew a good story was coming.

"One of the poor kind—he lives down in Illinois—is one of the most persistent men I ever knew. He keeps writing and writing for money all the time. He is not a bad fellow, only improvident, and if he displayed the same energy in attending to business that he does in writing to me he would have been rich a long time ago. Well, he kept sending one letter after another, saying that if he only had $500 he would be all right. He repeated this so often that one day I told my secretary to send a letter saying that if he would't bother me for a year I would send him $500."

"Well, sir," and Mr. Armour's sides shook with laughter, "as soon as the mails could bring a reply I got it. He said, 'Make it $1,000 and two years,' and I thought it was such a clever turn that I sent the money."

"What happened next?"

"In about three months he wrote again, saying the agreement was off because his wife had not been included."

Mr. Armour seemed to think the whole thing was a great joke and especially enjoyed the shrewdness of his poor relation.

PULLMAN'S LEGAL ADVISER.

Robert T. Lincoln, Son of Old Abe, Said to Hold This Responsible Position.

Since his return from the court of St. James little has been seen of Robert T. Lincoln. He dropped almost entirely out of sight after reaching his old home. Occasionally he would be seen at the Chicago club, but he never appeared in court and did not go often to his law office in the Woman's temple. Some of Mr. Lincoln's friends remarked he was out of the legal swim and added that his mission of representing his country at St. James had proved very expensive.

These solicitous friends were very much misinformed. Mr. Lincoln is kept quite busy in the law business. He is the personal legal adviser of George M. Pullman and spends practically all his time in the office of the palace car magnate. When Mr. Pullman leaves town, ex-Minister Lincoln accompanies him. They are constant and inseparable companions. By those who think they can detect Mr. Lincoln's style it is claimed that all of the prepared interviews and correspondence credited to Mr. Pullman since the strike began were the work of ex-Minister Lincoln.

"Corporation law—Pullman corporation especially—is queer business for a son of Abe Lincoln to be engaged in," said one of his father's admirers yesterday. "I wonder what Abraham would say if he were still in the flesh and could speak to the son who has been advising Mr. Pullman how to starve his employees into subjection."—Chicago Herald.

England and France.

The British political campaign, which for weeks has been too dull to arouse the slightest popular interest, has at length suspended until midwinter. The queen's speech at the prorogation is much more significant than usual. It contains an important intimation regarding the strained relations with the French republic, which caused the greatest alarm in the foreign office a few days previous.

French aggression in west Africa had recently become so threatening that England was almost forced to the conclusion that it was intended to be an open affront. The news has at length come that the French troops occupied Kumassi, the capital of Ashanti, last month, and it is believed that the English government possesses information of a still bolder invasion of British territory. Now that parliament has adjourned the country will be deprived of official news of this and other foreign complications during the remainder of the year.—New York Sun's London Letter.

Knew George Sand Well.

Colonel James Russell Lowell tells the story that one of the gentlemen he met in Chicago had a great deal to say of his travels in Europe. Colonel Lowell remarked that he greatly enjoyed the French literature, and that George Sand was one of his favorite authors.

"Oh, yes," exclaimed the Chicago gentleman, "I have had many a happy hour with Sand."

"You knew George Sand, then?" asked Colonel Lowell, with an expression of surprise.

"Knew him? Well, I should rather say I did!" cried the Chicago man, and then he added as a clincher. "I roomed with him when I was in Paris."—Chicago Record.

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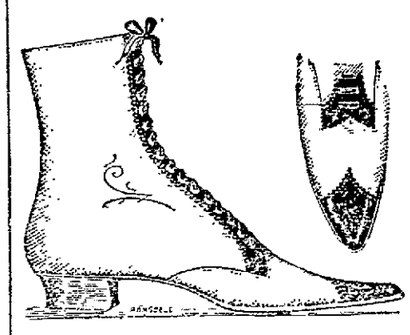

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DEMOCRATIC STATE CONVENTION.

The Democratic electors of the State of New York are requested to unite in sending three alternate delegates from each Assembly District to a State Convention, to be held at Saratoga Springs, on Tuesday, Sept 25th, 1894, at 12 o'clock noon, for the purpose of placing in nomination candidates to be voted for at the ensuing general election, and to transact such other business as may properly come before the convention

TOWN OF MINISINK.

The Democratic electors of the town of Minisink are requested to meet at Charcavoyne's hall in Westtown, Thursd y afternoon, Sept 20th, at 2 o clock, to elect three delegates to represent the town in the Assembly District Convention to chose delegates to the State Convention By order of
TOWN COMMITTEE

2nd Assembly District Convention.

The Democratic electors of the several towns and wards comprising the Second Assembly District of the county of Orange, are hereby requested to meet at the place of holding their last respective town or ward meetings, (unless otherwise ordered by the several town or ward committees, or unless delegates have in any town or ward already been elected), on Tuesday, September 18, 1894, at 3 o'clock p. m., for the purpose of electing the number of delegates each town or ward is entitled to, to attend a convention to be held at the Assembly rooms in Middletown, SATURDAY, September 22, 1894, at 12 o'clock m., for the purpose of placing in nomination three delegates to represent the Second Assembly District in the State Convention to be held at Saratoga Springs Tuesday, September 25, 1894.

F. DIKEMAN, } Assembly
W. H. CRANE, } District
WM. POHLMAN, } Committee

The Democrats of the Columbia-Rensselaer district, yesterday, elected delegates to the Congressional Convention who are opposed to the renomination of Congressman Haines, who spoke and voted against the Wilson bill.

The government crop report shows a decline in the condition of the corn crop to 63.4 per cent., which means that the yield of this most important cereal will be nearly forty per cent. below the average, and entail heavy losses and great hardship to many western farmers An incidental effect of the short corn crop will be higher prices for feed, which will bear severely on many Orange county farmers, who already find their feed bills a very grievous burden.

We have received a quiet tip from a reliable Republican source, that the slate made up by the county bosses, provides for the nomination of Selah E. Strong, of the town of Blooming Grove, for Sheriff, with the understanding that Boss Hock's son Fred shall receive the appointment as Under Sheriff in the event of Mr. Strong's election. If this programme is to be carried out, the bosses have done some very tall lying to some of the other candidates for Sheriff, who have been led to believe their nomination was assured.

The fight between the Couch and anti-Couch factions of the Republican party in Sullivan county is already on. The lines are drawn on candidates for Sheriff, the most important office to be filled this fall. The Couch faction favor the nomination of John R. Rice, while those who are opposed to C uch are making John Murphy their candidate. The fight is a sharp one, and the prospects are that so much ill feeling will be engendered that, no matter which faction triumphs in the nominating convention, its candidate will be defeated at the polls.

A delegation of wood acid manufacturers called on Secretary Carlisle, yesterday, and urged him not to make regulations for carrying into effect the section of the the tariff bill providing for a rebate of the internal revenue tax paid on alcohol used in manufacturing. The wood acid men claimed that wood alcohol could not compete with untaxed grain alcohol, and that without a market at living prices for wood alcohol they could not run their factories. Secretary Carlisle could give them but little encouragement beyond the assurance that one of the first acts of Congress at its reassembling in December would undoubtedly be to repeal the rebate section of the present law.

The Populists held a State convention at Saratoga, yesterday. About 125 delegates, appointed by themselves and representing about half the counties of the State, were present. The following were nominated: For Governor—Charles B. Matthews, of Buffalo, for Lieutenant Governor—Hobart C. Howson, of Penn Yan; for Judge of the Court of Appeals—Thaddeus B. Wakeman, of New York.

The platform demands an American financial system independent of the "present gambling system of European and American money changers and shylocks," and industrial co-operation instead of the wage system. In the interest of labor, legislation is asked that will utilize unemployed labor on public works, enforce the eight hour law, make [illegible] that on compulsory on public works and employing corporations, and employers responsible for injuries to employes, as they are in the case of non-employes. It is proposed to substitute for the present license system exclusive State ownership and operation of the liquor traffic, with elimination of all profit. The passage of an initiative and referendum law is demanded and the "Republican—Democratic fusion and partisanship by which all the smaller reform parties" were excluded from representation and influence in the Constitutional Convention is denounced.

The call for the Assembly District Convention to choose delegates to the State Convention is published elsewhere. The primaries are to be held Tuesday, Sept. 18th, and the convention Saturday, Sept. 22d.

LATEST BY TELEGRAPH

NOT CHOLERA CASES

Suspected Immigrants at Hoffman Island Not suffering from Cholera.

BY UNITED PRESS.

NEW YORK, Sept. 12.—Six suspicious cases of illness among passengers on the steamship Werra, which arrived Monday from Genoa, caused some uneasiness to the Health Officers. The sick passengers were removed to Hoffman Island, and examination proved that their sickness was diarrhœa, not cholera.

NO PRIZE FIGHTS IN NEW JERSEY.

Subpoenas Issued for Edison and Other Spectators of the Kinetoscope Fight.

BY UNITED PRESS.

NEWARK, N. J., Sept. 12.—It was reported, to-day, that the Essex County Grand Jury had issued subpœnas for Inventor Edison and others who witnessed the fight between Corbett and Courtney at Edison's labratory recently, when the fighters were photographed for the kinetoscope.

SWEPT BY A CYCLONE

One Person Killed, several Injured and Much Property Damaged.

BY UNITED PRESS.

MEMPHIS, Tenn., Sept. 12.—A cyclone swept over the north end of Memphis at noon to-day, doing much damage to property and killing one person and injuring several.

PROCEEDINGS AGAINST THE SUGAR TRUST.

BY UNITED PRESS.

BOSTON, Sept. 12.—Attorney General Knowlton, to-day, applied to the Supreme Court for a preliminary injunction to stop the business of the American Sugar Refining Company in this State until it has complied with the laws.

FRANCE TO SEIZE MADAGASCAR.

BY UNITED PRESS.

PARIS, Sept. 12.—It is asserted that the mission of M. LeMyre DeVillas to Madagascar is to establish a French protectorate over the country, create a military station and appoint a French representative to deal with foreign powers.

THREE FIREMEN HURT.

BY UNITED PRESS.

BROOKLYN, Sept. 12.—There were several fires in Williamsburgh, to-day, causing a loss of $100,000. Three firemen were injured by the breaking down of an engine on its way to a fire.

THE VOTE IN MAINE.

BY UNITED PRESS.

LEWISTON, Me., Sept. 12.—The Lewiston *Journal* has returns from nearly the whole State, which show that the vote for Governor is: Cleaves, Rep., 57,047; Johnson, Dem., 28 963.

When Baby was sick, we gave her Castoria.
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LOUISIANA SUGAR PLANTERS.

From the Chicago Herald.

The enormous number of 587 sugar growers in Louisiana are going to join the Republican party. They are headed by ex-Gov. Warmouth, which raises the suspicion that the most of them are not new converts. This is the total number of people in the State of Louisiana engaged in sugar growing. Last year they received $11,114,200 in bounties from the United States Treasury, an average of $19,195 66 each. But for the passage of the new Tariff act they would have received $23,000,000 bounty this year, or an average of nearly $40,000 each. These individuals offer to make Louisiana a Republican State if the sugar bounty is restored. Not a much stronger argument than this can be produced in favor of the new tariff, nor could there be a more scandalous exposure of the corruption of the McKinley tariff.

READY FOR AN EMERGENCY.

From the Philadelphia Record.

Mr. Depew's attitude towards the Governorship is an exact copy of Mr. Harrison's pose with respect to the Presidency—he won't touch it except in an emergency, and he is now flying homeward on an ocean greyhound to spread salt on the emergency's tail.

NEW YORK STOCK EXCHANGE REPORT

JAS P TIGHE, Commission Broker, Stern Building, 15 North street, Middletown, N. Y. Stocks, Bonds, Grain and Provisions bought and sold for cash or carried on margin.

NEW YORK, Sept 12, '94.

	High	Low	Close
Sugar	105¾	103⅝	105⅝
A. T. & S. F.	8⅛	7⅞	7⅞
C. B. & Q.	76½	75½	76⅛
Chicago Gas	74⅛	73⅜	74⅛
D. L. & W.	171½	169	171½
Dis. & Cat. F.	16⅛	15	15
Erie			
General Electric	40⅜	40¼	40⅜
L. & N.	56⅜	56⅞	56⅜
L. S.	136½	136⅛	136⅜
M. P.	30⅜	30⅛	30⅜
N. Y. & N. E.	28⅞	27⅝	28
N. Y. C.	101¾	101⅜	101¾
N. W.	106	105⅝	105¾
N. P. Pfd	21⅝	21	21⅜
O. & W.	17⅛	17	17⅛
Nat. Lead	43½	44⅛	43½
R. T.	19⅞	19½	19¾
P. & R.	22⅜	22	22⅜
R. I.	65⅝	64¾	65
C. M. & St. P.	67	66½	66⅞
U. P.	13⅞	13¾	13¾
W. Union	92	91⅜	91½
U. S. Cordage	16¾	15	16
Manhattan	119¾	119¾	119⅞
Dec. Wheat	57⅝	57¾	57¾
Dec. Corn	55¾	55	55½
May Oats	36⅝	36	36¾
Jan Pork	$14 50	$14 32	$14 47
Jan. Lard	8 45	8 37	8 45

DIED.

BERTHOLF—In this city, Sept 11th, '94, William H Bertholf, aged sixty-eight years Funeral Thursday, from his late residence, No. 12 Prospect street, at 3 o'clock. Interment in Hillside Cemetery

Sick Headaches

Life-Long Troubles Cured by Hood's Sarsaparilla.

Mrs. Lizzie Person

"I have been troubled with sick headache, since I was a child. Doctors and remedies all did me no good, until I read about Hood's Sarsaparilla and thought I would give it a trial. **Five bottles cured me.** I shall always be a warm friend to Hood's Sarsaparilla and I do not know anything better for a family medicine. I have also used Hood's

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100 Suits, formerly sold at $8, during sale at $5
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All wool Pants during sale at $1 98, formerly $3.
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Ages from 14 to 19. Cassimere Suits at $3 50.
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Double Breasted Suits at $1.35, worth $2.
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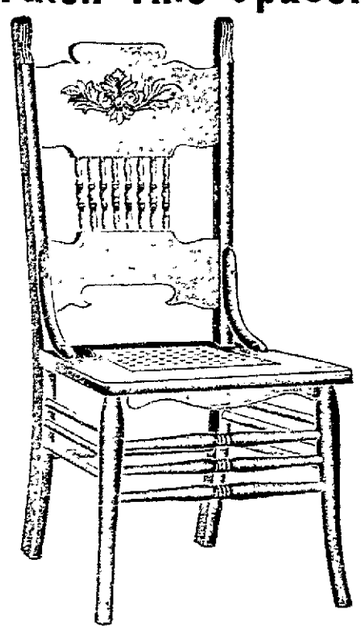

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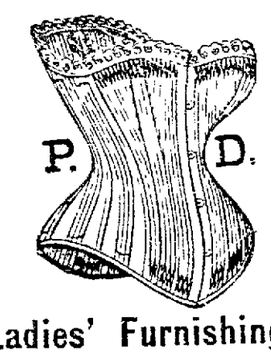

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DAILY ARGUS.

OFFICIAL CITY PAPER.

WEATHER INDICATIONS.

BY UNITED PRESS.

WASHINGTON. Sept. 12.—Generally fair, variable winds.

THE TEMPERATURE.

The following was the registry of the thermometer at Pronk's drug store, to-day:

7 a. m., 60°; 12 m., 72°; 3 p. m., 76°.

AMUSEMENT AND RECREATION.

—Sept. 10-15. Minnie Lester, with six new plays, at the Casino.

—Sept. 12—Oyster bake of Ivanhoe Lodge, Knights of Honor, at Midway Park.

—Sept. 13—Excursion to Rockaway Beach, via Ontario and Western and steamer Gen. Slocum

—Sept. 13—"Ceylon" illustrated by W. W. Wallace, at Second Presbyterian Church

—Sept. 17—"The New Boy," at the Casino.

Sept. 17—Cuban Giants vs. Asylums, on Hospital grounds.

—Sept. 18-21—Orange county fair, at Newburgh.

—Sept. 19—Middletown Wheelmeen's meet, at Campbell track.

—Sept. 24—Shakespearian reading, "The Taming of the Shrew," by Hannibal A. Williams, for the Y. M. C. A.

—Sept. 26—Tenth Legion re-union, at Matteawan.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

—Latest style fall and winter hats at A. T. Sayler's.

—Special sale in dress goods at G. B Adams & Co.'s.

—Three farms for sale.

—Meeting of Luther Lodge, this evening.

—Set single harness lost.

—"She Couldn't Marry Three," at the Casino. Watch for the date.

LIVE LOCAL TOPICS.

On Saturday, from three to five,
I pray you mark it well
On South street, number 36,
Where all the Pillsbury's dwell
The Grace Church ladies by your leave
Unequalled cakes will sell.

—Salt water excursion, via O. and W. and steamer Gen. Slocum, to-morrow. Train leaves Wickham avenue at 8:30, Main street 8:32.

—Paterson has spent the $40,000 appropriation for street work, and 150 men, who have been employed on the streets will be laid off.

—Remember Mr. W. W. Wallace's illustrated lecture on Ceylon, at the Second Presbyterian Church, to-morrow evening.

—Robert Lemon's mare, Nora L., will trot in the 2 30 race at Edenville this afternoon. Middletown horsemen are represented at the race by Alderman Baldwin and E. E. Wood.

—The Minnie Lester Company will give their third annual entertainment at the Asylum, Thursday afternoon. Twenty-two people will take part and a splendid programme will be arranged.

—At the Liquor Dealers' picnic at Maennerchor Park on Sept. 19th, genuine Rhode Island clam chowder will be served with other refreshments. Lehey's orchestra will furnish music for dancing.

—D. C. Dusenberry & Son have recently purchased an apparatus for demagnetizing watches, which does the work perfectly. If your watch used to keep good time and has taken to running irregularly, the chances are that it has become magnetized, and it will not run right until it is demagnetized.

PERSONAL.

—Mrs. F. M. Dodge, of Liberty, is visiting at Mr. H. V. Ellsworth's, in this city.

—Thomas Dugan, Jr., has gone to Reading, Pa., to work in the hat shop which his father is running there.

—Miss Sarah Courtright, who has been visiting Miss. Lulu Muir in this city, has returned to her home at Deckertown, N. J.

—Major W. M. Combs will go to Syracuse, to-morrow, to visit his aged parents, who reside in that city. His mother, who is eighty-four years of age, is quite ill.

—Mrs. William H. Bannister, of Nyack, the wife of Senator Lexow's law partner, who is suing for divorce, is a daughter of H. Newton Van Keuren, of Newburgh, formerly of Pine Bush, where he was engaged in the distilling business.

TEN DAYS IN JAIL.

The Penalty Imposed on Frank Fiaro for Gathering "Rags" at the State Hospital.

Frank Fiaro, the Italian rag-picker who was arrested on a charge of petty larceny, in gathering up and carrying away articles thrown from the windows of the State Hospital by patients, was tried by Recorder Bradner, this morning, found guilty, and sentenced to ten days in Goshen Jail.

His counsel, Herbert Gedney, Esq., asked for a jury trial, but finally agreed to have the case tried before the Recorder.

The latter believed to a certain extent in the man's story that he thought the articles stolen were rags, which accounts for the extremely light sentence.

The Ball Game

The game of ball between the Asylums and Poughkeepsies, this afternoon, was a short one, only seven innings being played. It was disastrous for the visitors as it was short. The score at the close, Asylums, 16 Poughkeepsies, 2.

A Modern Beauty

Thrives on good food and sunshine, with plenty of exercise in the open air. Her form glows with health and her face blooms with its beauty. If her system needs the cleansing action of a laxative remedy, she uses the gentle and pleasant liquid laxative Syrup of Figs.

THE MT. HOPE ARSON CASE.

The Examination of Mr. and Mrs. Webster Begun and Adjourned — Some of the Evidences — No Motive Unless There Was Insurance.

Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Webster were given a hearing, before Justice Emmet Ketcham, at Kaufman's Hotel, Mount Hope, yesterday afternoon. Herbert Gedney, Esq., appeared for the people, and M. J. Donovan, Esq., for the Websters.

Several witnesses were examined, Mrs. Undt repeating under oath what she had told the parties who made the complaint.

Another witness testified that she had heard Mrs. Webster say to her husband, while the fire was in progress, "You brute! You know the cause of it all!"

The case was adjourned until Thursday morning, at 9 o'clock, to enable the prosecution to obtain more evidence.

Mr. Gedney is of the opinion that sufficient evidence will be secured to warrant the justice in holding the Websters, or at least one of them, for the Grand Jury.

The one great defect in the case for the prosecution is, however, the apparent lack of motive. An ARGUS reporter made the rounds of the insurance agents in this city, but was unable to find any insurance whatever on the property. All of the agents knew Mr. Webster and stated that he had made application for insurance, but that they had refused to take it.

Unless it can be shown that the couple have a monetary interest in the property, and that there is insurance on it, it will be a difficult matter to make out a case against them.

THE MT. HOPE SCHOOL TROUBLES

The Boy No Longer Carries His Hat in His Pocket, Nor Does He Hang It in the Hall, But He Goes to School All the Same.

The story of the trouble in the Mount Hope school, which first appeared in the ARGUS, has furnished material for two or three items in a New York paper. The latest phaze of it is as ridiculous as the original proceedings were unnecessary and inexcusable.

It will be remembered that young Rowland Fitzgerald, refused to hang his hat in the hall, as the other boys did, but carried it in his pocket, thus violating one of the rules established by the teacher, Mr. Cortright, and in doing so, was upheld and encouraged by his father, Rev. Mr. Fitzgerald, and persisting in his refusal to obey the rules, was sent home by his teacher.

The boy has returned to school, but he doesn't carry his hat in his pocket, neither does he hang it in the hall, but he leaves it in the store of George Jeffers and goes bareheaded to school.

The teacher, of course, cannot compel a pupil to hang his hat in the hall when he comes to school bareheaded, nor can he require him to wear a hat, and it would seem that the dominie has very cunningly got the best of the teacher, but it's tough on the boy to be made a target for the jeers and jibes of his schoolmates as he walks bareheaded from Jeffer's store to the school, and to know that every man, woman and child in the village have their eyes upon him as he passes to and fro. The boy seems to be the real sufferer in a quarrel between two Christian ministers, one of whom is his father and the other his teacher. There is need of a little more of the spirit of the Master in this controversy.

PORT JERVIS'S ELECTRIC ROAD.

Applications for a Franchise Considered by the Village Trustees But No Action Taken

The trustees of Port Jervis, at their meeting, last night, considered the application of the Port Jervis and Suburban Street Railway Company for a franchise to build an electric road. The application was considered, section by section, and a number of changes made, but no final action was taken.

It was stated by a representative of the company applying for the franchise that the parties interested in the company were financially responsible and were the same parties who propose to build an electric road from Stroudsburgh, up the Delaware Valley to Port Jervis.

THE TURN VEREIN.

Much Interest Manifested—Organization Postponed Until Next Week

Quite a number of young Germans of our city attended the meeting last evening to prepare for the organization of a Turn Verein. Mr. Fuchs was elected chairman of the meeting. The matter was informally discussed and it was finally decided to postpone the organization until Tuesday evening, when a meeting will be held at the Standard Hotel on Wickham avenue.

Just Married.

How loving they are; this is always a sure sign. After the first year sometimes it don't hold good. When Charles comes home to you grouty and cross, snapping and snarling, unable to relish the nice dinner you have cooked, and feels as if there was a ton of pig iron in his stomach, he is troubled with dyspepsia, and Sulphur Bitters is the only medicine that will cure him.

OBITUARY.

William H. Bertholf.

Mr. William H. Bertholf, an old and highly respected citizen, died at his home on Prospect street, Tuesday at 10:30, of paralysis from which had suffered for eight or ten years. He has had several strokes and has gradually failed. For the past two years he has been confined to the house and most of the time to his bed.

Mr. Bertholf was born in town of Warwick, May 14th, 1826. He followed farming and resided in that town until 1863, when he removed to Clayton, N. J., where he remained three years and then came to this city where he has since resided. He formed a partnership with William Hallock and the late J. H. Todd and together they carried on the grocery business at the stand now occupied by Osburn & Brown for many years. For a few years Mr. Bertholf carried on business on his own account on West Main street, and about twelve years ago retired.

He was married in 1850 to Mary L. Dean, of Craigville, by whom he had three children: James D., who died in 1881; Frank H., of this city, and Fred M., of Salt Lake City. His wife died in 1874 and in 1876 he was married to Olivia Thompson, who survives him, as does also Jennie, an adopted daughter. He has two brothers and two sisters living. They are John G. Bertholf, of Goshen; James N. of Sugar Loaf, and Mrs. John Palmer and Mrs. T. M. Vail, of Florida.

Mr. Bertholf was a member of St. Paul's M. E. Church and served several terms as trustee and steward. He was a consistent Christian and an honorable and upright man.

Mrs. Sophronia Felter.

From Our Montgomery Correspondent

Mrs. Sophronia Felter died at her residence on Union street, Montgomery, Monday morning at 3 o'clock. Mrs. Felter had been a sufferer from heart disease for many years, and it was this disease that caused her death. Mrs. Felter is survived by her husband, William Felter, and one daughter.

Mrs. John Jewell.

From our Montgomery Correspondent

Mrs. John Jewell, widow of the late John Jewell, died at her home in Montgomery, Sunday morning. The funeral was held Tuesday, at 1:30 o'clock, from her late residence, and at 2 o'clock from the Methodist Church. Mrs. Jewell is survived by two children, Laura, wife of Mr. Charles H. Kaune, and a son, John, who resides in Montgomery. The deceased was sixty-four years of age.

THE OYSTER BAKE.

Knights of Honor and Their Friends Feasting at Midway.

Lancelot Lodge, K. of H., and a large number of their friends are having a good time at Midway Park, to-day.

The oyster bake, a novelty in this locality, has been tested and it fully met the expectations of the large crowd of hungry Knights and their friends.

An oyster bake, as Mr. Gunther and his assistants put it up to-day, means a first class clam bake with baked oysters as an extra dish.

The first bake was served at 1 o'clock and and it was well served. The look of satisfaction on the faces of those who returned to town this afternoon, was the best evidence that it was a good one, and that there was no lack of oysters, clams, fish, chicken and the accompaniments.

There will be another bake at 7 o'clock this evening, when the bill of are will be the same as at noon.

INTO AN OPEN WELL.

A Dog Plunges In and Ja Little Child Would Have Followed But for a Man's Prompt Action.

This morning the little child of Samuel H. Lybolt, who resides on Monhagen avenue at the Summit, was chasing a pet dog about the yard when the animal, to avoid the child, made a sudden spring and landed in the open well.

The child stood on the brink of the well crying and gesticulating frantically. Some men who were at work near by expected to see the little one fall every second, and one of them ran to the well and caught and dragged it away, much to the relief of all who were witnesses of the child's danger.

The dog was got out alive, but with much difficulty.

An open well is a constant source of danger and should not be tolerated anywhere. If this child had fallen in and been drowned, an intelligent coroner's jury would have attributed its death to the criminal carelessness of its parents or whoever was responsible for the death trap on the premises.

Honest.

In these days of adulteration and fraud, in all branches of business and pursuits, it is pleasing to know that there is one medicine prepared which is strictly pure. Such a medicine is Sulphur Bitters in curing scrofula; you can depend on them every time. W. B. Everts, A. M., Charleston S. C.

The torture of dyspepsia and sick headache, the agonizing itching and pain of salt rheum, are removed by Hood's Sarsaparilla.

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Royal Baking Powder

ABSOLUTELY PURE

AT THE COUNTY SEAT.

INCIDENTS AND HAPPENINGS IN GOSHEN.

Funeral of the Late Phillip Samuels—Democratic Primaries—Drafted Men's Convention—Lecture on Ceylon.

From Our Regular Correspondent.

—The arrangements for the funeral of the late Phillip Samuels are as follows: Services will be conducted at his late residence on Greenwich street, at 11:30 to-morrow, by Luther Lodge, I. O. O. F., of Middletown and Goshen Lodge, F. & A. M., assisted by Orange Lodge, I. O. O. F., of Goshen, who will attend in a body and will escort the remains to train 6, on which the body will be taken to Newburgh for burial.

—The Democratic primaries were held in the respective districts, today, and delegates appointed to a caucus at the Court House, to-night, which elected delegates to the various conventions to be held later.

—The drafted men are holding a meeting in town to-day.

—Mr. W. W. Wallace, of Middletown, will give a lecture in the chapel of the Presbyterian Church, Monday evening, Sept. 17th, on Ceylon with illustrated stereopticon views. Admission 25 cents, children 15 cents. Proceeds for the benefit of the Y. P. S. C. E.

IN ANCIENT GOSHEN.

A Pleasant Entertainment—Death of a Former Resident of Goshen—Personal Mention—An Undue Fondness for Titles.

(From a Special Correspondent.)

—Miss Mary Bacon gave a reception to a number of her young friends at the home of her uncle, Hon. Henry Bacon, last evening.

—Word has been received in Goshen of the death of Peter P. Demarest, for many years a resident of this village. Mr. Demarest died at Savin Rock, Conn., on Sunday. The interment will be in Greenwood Cemetery.

—Mr. and Mrs. Charles M. Vail have returned from Newport, where they have been spending some weeks.

—Dr. H. H. Robinson returned from his summer vacation on Tuesday.

—Miss Anna Sayer, of Walden, is visiting at the home of William M. Sayer, in this village.

—Mrs. William E. Maison and children, who have been spending a short time in Washington, D. C., returned to their home in this village on Monday.

—A slur upon one's country is very much like an accusation against a friend, in that one does not like to believe or acknowledge the truth of it to one's self, even if it is true; but when one reads a paragraph in the paper concerning "shoe-binder Blake's wife," one cannot help but feel that the charge that is so often brought against the American people that they are too fond of titles is not altogether without foundation. Why if this sort of thing is carried much farther, just imagine what it will be by the time women are emancipated and the right of suffrage is theirs. Just fancy the feelings of the man who appears in print for the first time under the title of "dishwasher Smith's husband, or "dinner-getter Jones's son." Equality in this matter as in every other should be the right of the gentler sex if we wish to be thoroughly consistent, and it is really no less absurd to speak of scrub woman Brown or milk man Green. It is something like the indiscriminate use of those much abused words, gentleman and lady, which was carried to such an extent for a few years that a reaction set in and we are beginning to be men and women once more. The bible does not say that the Lord spoke of Adam as the first gentleman nor of Eve as the first lady, and yet no mention is made of their taking offense at the titles given them

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WILL THE ORIENTAL WAR RAISE THE PRICE OF TEA?

Whether It Does or Not, It Is Likely to Help the Indian and Ceylonese Planters to Capture the American Market—"Cold Tea"—A Five o'Clock Tea.

There is a good deal of talk just now about tea, and there have been some anxious inquiries concerning a possible rise in prices because of the oriental war now raging between the two great

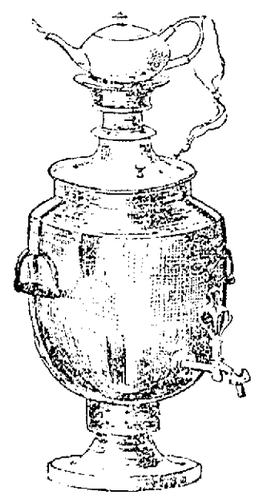
CONGRESSIONAL COLD TEA.

tea producing nations. As a matter of fact, there is little for the consumers of any but the cheapest grades of tea to worry about. A few years ago it would have been different. Time has been when if you could not get tea from China or Japan you could not get it anywhere. Now, thanks to British enterprise and the fostering care of a strong government, British planters are raising tea in India and Ceylon that is quite equal to the best raised by the little men with oblique eyes and yellow skins. Some connoisseurs say better.

It was in 1881 that the cultivation of tea was begun in Ceylon, and it was in the same year that Indian tea, first cultivated some time previously, began to be recognized as an important factor in the world's tea markets. In that year Great Britain, among whose people only Indian tea down to that time had been offered for sale, consumed 112,000,000 pounds of Chinese tea and 48,000,000 of Indian. In 1893 the figures were more than turned upside down, the consumption of Chinese tea in Great Britain having fallen to 36,000,000 and that planted in Ceylon and India under British auspices having increased to 176,000,000 pounds. Not only has the quantity of the British article increased every year, but due attention has been paid to quality and price, the former having continuously risen and the latter as steadily fallen.

Thus in 1881 Indian tea was sold by the growers for 1 shilling and 5 pence a pound, or about 35 cents, while in 1893 its average price was 9¼ pence, or about 18½ cents, and the Chinese teagrowers have had either to reduce their prices to suit or lose the market. They have done both to some extent. As has been shown, the cream of the British sales have slipped away from them, and they have put the price of their cheapest tea raised in the Amoy districts down so low that it is sold at auction in New York at from 13 to 15 cents a pound. This tea will not increase in price if the war continues long, but it will disappear from the market, the effect, of course, being the same to consumers, who will be obliged to buy in its stead the higher priced Indian and Ceylonese tea. Perhaps, too, there will be adulteration, for, although tea cannot be adulterated as readily as coffee, willow and other leaves are sometimes mixed with tea leaves successfully, and the scarcity of the real thing at low prices will be a temptation, no doubt, which some unscrupulous dealers will not struggle against very strongly.

It was not until last year that the Indian and Ceylonese planters made serious efforts to capture any market save those of Great Britain and her colonies. The British market is by long odds the richest in the world. The English consume tea with even greater avidity than the French consume coffee. Tea is the mainstay of all Britons. They drink it in season and out of season—men, women and children, rich and poor, high and low. An American business man who opened a branch office in London a few years ago and set a staff of clerks at work told me the other day of a curious experience he had shortly after he opened his doors in the British metropolis. For the first two or three days he



A RUSSIAN SAMOVAR.

remained in his office continually, and he noticed that his clerks seemed to be singularly languid and uneasy along in the middle of the afternoon. One day he left the office at about 4 o'clock to return half an hour later. His amazement was unspeakable, for not a clerk was to be seen. In a few moments they began to come back, singly, in couples and groups, and asked the chief clerk where they had been.

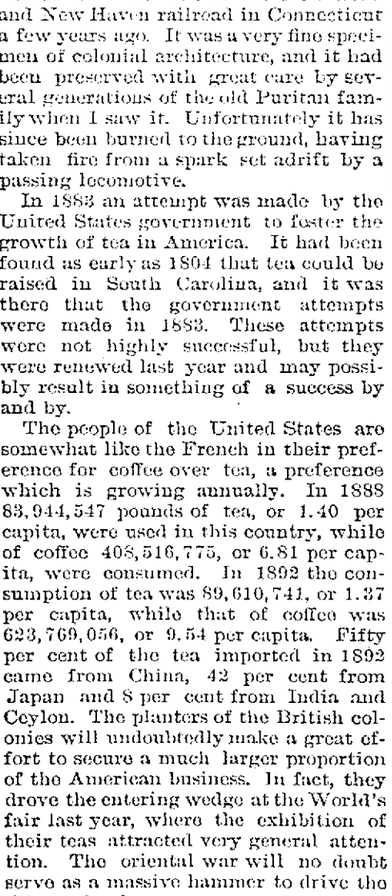
"To take tea, sir, of course," was the reply. "It is customary here, sir, in such an office as this, for tea to be served in the afternoon to the clerks, and we all feel the need of it, sir, at the regular time. We hope you are not offended, sir. We felt a little diffident about telling you about it. Maybe we can have the same arrangement here that they have in other offices."

Of course the American had no objection. He at once ordered that tea should be served every day, according to custom, and his clerks were not thereafter annoyed by the lack of their regular dose of mild stimulant in the middle of the afternoon.

There is some tea drinking in France, though in this respect the Gauls are not like their Russian friends, who consume tea almost as inordinately as do the English. The Russians, by the way, get the best Chinese tea at lower prices than any others outside of Asia. The best tea is put up in bricks and is said to suffer great deterioration, due to the effect of the salt air, when transported by ship. The best tea bricks are therefore sent overland by caravans to Russia, the land of the samovar. It is said by Russian travelers that the flavor of samovar brewed brick tea is something so ecstatically delicious as to make all other tea taste like hay water to whoever has once drunk from the samovar fount. The Russians do not follow the Chinese rule for making tea, but they claim that they produce better results. Of course there are two opinions upon this important matter, which will probably never be settled definitely. The Chinese make their tea by putting a handful of leaves into a large cup that stands on the table when the meal is ready. Upon the tea they then pour very hot water from a little teapot. The steeping tea is then covered with a saucer and allowed to remain three or four minutes. Then the Chinaman dexterously picks up the cup and the saucer with the outspread fingers of his hand, and with a skill not easily imitated by the Caucasian pours the amber liquid from the cup in which it has been steeped, without removing the saucer, into the tiniest of thimble cups.

The amount of water placed upon the tea is regulated by the number of people who are to drink it, and when their little cups have been filled the grounds in the large cup should be drained, and more water is placed upon them when the small cups are ready to be replenished.

It is the common belief that tea was introduced into England from Holland in 1665. Its price was then about $50 a pound, and naturally only the very rich could afford to drink it. Every one has read the stories that are told of the Eng-



A FIVE O'CLOCK TEA.

lish first using tea somewhat after the fashion of "greens." They thought the tea leaves were eaten by the Chinese, and they tried to do the same thing. Similar stories are also told of the first use of tea in the American colonies a few years later, and the house in which the first American attempt to eat tea leaves was made was pointed out to the writer near the line of the New York and New Haven railroad in Connecticut a few years ago. It was a very fine specimen of colonial architecture, and it had been preserved with great care by several generations of the old Puritan family when I saw it. Unfortunately it has since been burned to the ground, having taken fire from a spark set adrift by a passing locomotive.

In 1883 an attempt was made by the United States government to foster the growth of tea in America. It had been found as early as 1804 that tea could be raised in South Carolina, and it was there that the government attempts were made in 1883. These attempts were not highly successful, but they were renewed last year and may possibly result in something of a success by and by.

The people of the United States are somewhat like the French in their preference for coffee over tea, a preference which is growing annually. In 1888 83,944,547 pounds of tea, or 1.40 per capita, were used in this country, while of coffee 408,516,775, or 6.81 per capita, were consumed. In 1892 the consumption of tea was 89,610,741, or 1.37 per capita, while that of coffee was 623,769,056, or 9.54 per capita. Fifty per cent of the tea imported in 1892 came from China, 42 per cent from Japan and 8 per cent from India and Ceylon. The planters of the British colonies will undoubtedly make a great effort to secure a much larger proportion of the American business. In fact, they drove the entering wedge at the World's fair last year, where the exhibition of their teas attracted very general attention. The oriental war will no doubt serve as a massive hammer to drive the thin wedge home.

A good deal more might be said about tea, especially "cold tea," both of the congressional variety and the genuine thing. The 5 o'clock tea, too, is always a fruitful topic when intrusted to a competent Jenkins. So also are the various pink teas, Babylonian teas, Russian teas and other mild entertainments which you, young man, are likely to attend if your own best girl is one of the attractions, but not otherwise.

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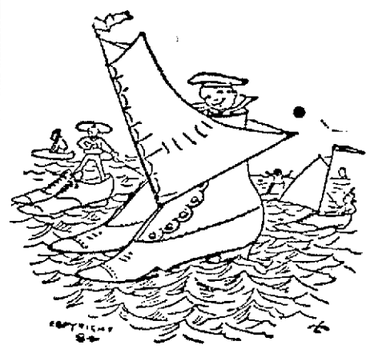

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Before the young girl had heard of the death of Dr Randall at Oakford, Pa., she stated that the old man had passed away, accurately described the room in which he died and repeated the inscription on the plate of the casket. Since then she has lingered between life and death and has been pronounced by her physicians several times unable to live for but a few hours, yet today she is apparently strong in body. Her mind, however, seems to be completely transformed, and her actions savor strongly of the supernatural. She seems to be a being of some other world than this.

Last evening, while in an unconscious state, she sang "In the Lowlands," a song of 12 stanzas, most beautifully. When conscious, she could remember but a few lines. She never sang before her illness, but now her voice is a rich, clear, melodious soprano. With her eyes securely bandaged she reads passages from the Bible. To show that the young lady was entirely and wholly unconscious, the lid of her eye was lifted, when it was seen that the eyeball was completely turned round, and only the white of the eye could be seen. What her disease is no one can tell. Whether or not she is growing insane is a question. It is the opinion of many that she is a medium of great spiritual powers.—Petersburg (Va.) Special to St. Louis Globe-Democrat.

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Latest Reports of Finds Seem Very Enticing, but New York Still Suits One Editor.

The very latest reports of new gold finds come to us from the Yukon region, Alaska, and the treasury at Washington has received advices that an amount of the precious metal valued at $100,000 has been brought to Unalaska for shipment. Three months ago we had encouraging reports from the gold placer mines on the Yukon, and both the Juneau Journal and the Sitka Herald told of men there who had got piles that were worth getting. An Alaskan from whom we heard in May last declared that over 1,000 men were then searching for the stuff, that the excitement was spreading, and that there would certainly be a big rush to the Yukon country if it were not for the obstacles to travel and transportation.

If the amount of gold in Alaska bears any appreciable proportion to the amount of ice, there will be no trouble about getting people to go there. It is alleged that the white population of the purchase at this time numbers nearly 10,000. We are satisfied that Alaska has been undervalued. It has extensive fisheries, canneries and salteries, it has larger areas of arable land than anybody knew of before the publication of Major Powell's report this year, it has vast and valuable forests, and it has mineral resources. Though a great part of its territory is uninhabitable, it is worth the price we paid for it. It was an Alaskan editor who once said that when Alaska becomes a state of the American Union it will be the "shining star of the Arctic ocean."

We cannot at this time, however, advise people to leave New York to settle there.—New York Sun.

On a Water Cycle.

The attempt to cross the English channel on a water cycle has apparently been abandoned for the season by the Frenchman who tried it and failed early in August, says a London paper. It is not unlikely, however, that the feat will be attempted by Robert Brown, sculptor, of Newport, Wales, who on Wednesday crossed the Bristol channel from Newport to Weston, a distance by steamer route of 14 miles. But Brown, owing to the tide and other causes, actually traveled 21 miles. The time was 8¼ hours. He finished in good condition. Brown's cycle consists of two cigar shaped tubes, each 17 feet long, lying parallel and three feet apart. They are filled with compressed air. In the center space is a platform and seat for a driver. Two paddle wheels, one on the outside of each tube, are propelled by the ordinary cycle pedals and chain gearing. The steering gear consists of two rudders, which seem the weakest part of the machine and would probably come to grief in rough water.

Cissie and McCarthy's Son.

London is talking about the elopement of Cissie Loftus, the greatest of the music hall favorites, and Justin McCarthy's son. Cissie is only 17 years old and is one of the most wonderful mimics ever on the stage. McCarthy is just twice her age. He has been a member of parliament and has some literary ability. The couple went to Edinburgh and were married by the sheriff. They are now willing to be forgiven. The girl's parents, who enjoyed her big earnings, are not disposed to be reconciled and threaten McCarthy with the serious penalties of the law.

A Grewsome Curio.

A English hunter after "curios" has been trying to secure the carriage in which M. Carnot was sitting when Cesario stabbed him. To induce the town council of Lyons to let him have it he offered £2,000, to be devoted to the poor or the hospitals, but the offer was refused.

STATE OF NEW YORK,

Office of the Secretary of State,

ALBANY, AUGUST 4, 1894.

Pursuant to the provisions of section seven chapter six hundred and eighty, Laws of eighteen hundred and ninety-two, notice is hereby given that the following proposed amendment to article six of the Constitution of the State of New York will be submitted to the people of the said State, for the purpose of voting thereon at the next general election in this State, to be held on the sixth day of November, eighteen hundred and ninety-four.

CONCURRENT RESOLUTION.

Proposing amendment to article six of the Constitution of this State in relation to County Judges and Court of Sessions in the county of Kings.

The People of the State of New York, represented in Senate and Assembly do enact as follows:

Whereas, At the last session of the Legislature, the following amendment was proposed in the Senate and Assembly, viz:

Resolved (if the Senate concur), That article six of the Constitution of this state be amended by adding thereto the following section:

"§ 32. There shall be in the county of Kings two county judges, each of whose terms of office shall be six years. The county judge in office at the adoption of this amendment shall hold office until the expiration of the term for which he was elected. The additional county judge shall be elected at the general election held next after the adoption of this amendment, and his term of office shall begin on the first day of January thereafter. When the official term of any county judge of said county will expire by the effluxion of time or the disability of age, the successor of such judge shall be chosen at the preceding general election. Vacancies otherwise occuring in said offices shall be filled in the same manner as vacancies in the Supreme Court. The salary of said county judge shall be as now established by law for county judge in said county. Their powers and jurisdiction shall be co-ordinate and co-equal. One or more parts of the county court may be held in said county. The court of sessions in the county of Kings is continued with the powers and jurisdiction it now posses-es, and with such additional powers and jurisdiction as may be conferred by the Legislature; it must be held by a county judge of the county, and may hold one or more parts."

And whereas, The said proposed amendment was agreed to by a majority of the members elected to each of the two houses of the said Legislature, entered on the journals, with the yeas and nays taken thereon, and referred to the Legislature to be chosen at the then next general election of senators.

And, whereas, Such election has taken place and said proposed amendment was duly published for three months previous to the time of making such choice, in pursuance of the provisions of article thirteen of the Constitution; therefore,

Resolved (if the Senate concur), That the Assembly do agree to the proposed amendment.

STATE OF NEW YORK,
IN SENATE, April 26, 1894.

This bill was read the third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elected voting in favor thereof, three-fifths being present.

By order of the Senate,
WILLIAM F SHEEHAN, President.

STATE OF NEW YORK,
IN ASSEMBLY, April 17, 1894.

This bill was read the third time and passed, a majority of all the members elected to the Assembly voting in favor thereof, three-fifths being present.

By order of the Assembly,
GEORGE R. MALBY, Speaker.

STATE OF NEW YORK,
OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY OF STATE. } ss:

I have compared the preceding copy of concurrent resolution, proposing an amendment to article six of the Constitution, relating to the election of additional justices of the Supreme Court.

Resolved (if the Senate concur), That the sixth article of the Constitution be amended by adding thereto the following section:

"§ 30. The Legislature, at the first session thereof after the adoption of this amendment, shall provide for the election at the general election next after the adoption of this amendment, by the electors of the first judicial district, of not more than two justices of the Supreme Court in addition to the justices of that court now in office in said judicial district; by the electors of the second judicial district, of not more than two justices of the Supreme Court in addition to the justices of that court now in office in said judicial district. The justices so elected in the first and second judicial districts, respectively, shall be invested with their offices on the first Monday of January next after their election."

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Given under my hand and the seal of office of the Secretary of State, at the [L. S.] City of Albany, this fourth day of August, in the year of our Lord, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-four.

JOHN PALMER, Secretary of State.

The following are the forms of ballots to be used in voting thereon:

FOR
the proposed amendment to article six of the Constitution, relating to county judges and court of sessions in the county of Kings.

AGAINST
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Resolved (if the Senate concur), That the sixth article of the Constitution be amended by adding thereto the following section:

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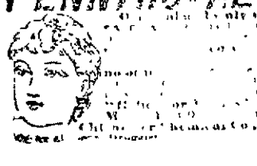
JOHN PALMER, Secretary of State.

Chichester's English Diamond Brand.

PENNYROYAL PILLS



ERIE LINES

Solid trains between New York and Chicago, via Chautauqua Lake or Niagara Falls. Pullman cars between New York and Rochester, Buffalo, Niagara Falls, Toronto, Chautauqua Lake, Cleveland, Cincinnati and Chicago.

TIME TABLE.

Adopted June 17th, 1894.

| Eastern Time. | 18 | 8 | 30 | 2 | 1 | 11 | 83 | 6 | 38 | 28 | 16 | 26 | 10 | 12 | 21 | 17 | 29 | 7 | 25 | 15 | 27 | 5 | 33 | 1 | 11

SHOTS HERE AND THERE.

AN "ARGUS" MAN OFF DUTY AIMS AT SEVERAL SUBJECTS.

Summer is Over—A Misuse of Words—Signs on the Street Cars - A Poor Husband Better Than None.

Although the thermometer fell to only 50° last night, it seemed cold enough for frost, and the chill in the air to-day has been a sharp reminder that summer is over, and that it is time outing shirts, straw hats and alpaca coats were called in.

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Why do we always call a man who goes about the country buying calves and offering none for sale a "calf peddler?" I doubt if there can be found anywhere a word used in a sense so directly opposed to its original meaning. It would be very interesting to know just how it came that wherever bob veals are sold the word peddlerisused todesignate men who never peddle.

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It would add greatly to the convenience of the public and save the employes of the electric road much annoyance if signs were displayed on the cars indicating their destinations. There are now three distinct lines of cars,—the Asylum, cross-town and Midway Park, and many residents of this city cannot tell "which from 'tother," while strangers can only be sure they are right by asking all sorts of questions. The Traction Company has been so anxious to consult the public convenience that I wonder it has not occurred to its officers that the signs now displayed on the cars,instructing people to go to this store and that store do convey the information that most people expect to find on street cars.

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Not long ago I referred to the fact that no matter how crippled or deformed a man might be it seemed no real obstacle in the way of his getting a wife. A case in point is reported from Bristol, England, where a woman, forty-three years old, wheeled a crippled man of forty-five into the registry office in an old fashioned perambulator. The man had been so twisted and malformed from birth that he had never walked and he was so misshapen that when supported on his feet he was only thirty-six inches high. He asked if it would be just as legal for him to be married while sitting in a wagon, and being told that a trifle like that made no difference in such a marriage as this, remained in the wagon when the marriage contract was finally concluded. The bride, smiling and happy, trundled away the bridegroom, proud apparently of the fact that she had got a man at least.

THE ELECTRIC RAILWAY.

Cars Running on West Main Street—Work on the North End Extension Commenced.

The Traction company's linemen worked nearly all night last night in putting up the trolley wire on the extension of the Asylum line, and completed the work as far as West Main street, and this morning the first car ran as far as that point.

The construction car has been busy all day in hauling away the surplus earth from Main street and Wickham avenue, and depositing it on Low avenue, where it is badly needed.

The large force of laborers were put at work, this morning, on the extension of the North street line, which, as stated yesterday, will run through the plot of lots recently laid out on the road to Sands Station.

The route laid out by the company is through the extension of Highland avenue, to a new street, and thence to Commonwealth avenue, to Rhode Island avenue and through that street to near the Howell homestead beyond the toll gate. The terminus will be about 100 feet from the North Plank road.

There is little doubt that at no distant day the line will be extended from the point named to Bloomingburgh.

Cake Sale for Thrall Hospital.

The Ladies' Auxiliary of Thrall Hospital will give a cake sale at the residence of Mr. George B. Adams, on Friday afternoon, from 3 to 6 o'clock.

To Arrange for the Fire Parade.

A meeting of the Board of Engineers and the foremen of the several fire companies will be held at Excelsior's rooms, Friday evening at 8 o'clock, to arrange for a fire parade this fall.

Electric Bitters.

This remedy is becoming so well known and so popular as to need a special mention. All who have used Electric Bitters sing the same song of praise.—A purer medicine does not exist and it is guaranteed to do all that is claimed. Electric Bitters will cure all diseases of the liver and kidneys, will remove Pimples, Boils, salt rheum and other affections caused by impure blood.—Will drive Malaria from the system and prevent as well as cure all Malarial fevers.—For cure of headache, Constipation, and Indigestion try Electric Bitters. Entire satisfaction guaranteed, or money refunded.—Price 50c. and $1,00 per bottle at McMonagle & Rogers Drug store.

BOARD OF EDUCATION.

Proceedings of a Regular Meeting—An Additional School Room—Applications for Teahers' Positions—A New Teacher Appointed—Bills Audited.

A regular meeting of the Board of Education was held last evening. Present: Messrs. Swalm, Harding, Everson, Powelson, Corwin and Canfield.

Mr. Swalm was elected president pro tem.

The committee on additional school room reported that another room in the Free Christian Church building had been engaged, the rental for the two rooms now occupied being $25 per mon h.

Applications of Merta N. Osterhout and Marietta Reeve for teachers' positions and of F. S. Couch for the position of janitor were read and ordered on file.

The clerk was authorized to order three draft books.

The coal committee reported the delivery during July and August as follows:

Academy, 52 tons, 14 cwt; school No. 2, 31 tons, 8 cwt.; school No. 3, 14 tons, 5 cwt.; school No. 4, 16 tons, 8 cwt.; school No. 5, 52 tons, 2 cwt.; school No. 6, 20 tons, 7 cwt.

The High street committee recommended the appointment of Nora A. Roosa as teacher for the new room in the Free Christian Church building at a salary of $300 per year. The appointment was ordered.

The following bills were audited:

John Austin, carting	$9 38
F. A. Behme, keys	50
F. C. Woodward taking census	42 00
Electric Light Co	3 65
Library Bureau, card pockets	14 40
G. T. Townsend, dis'b	6 16
Hanford & Horton, library books	124 98
C. C. Bowman, coal	357 14
E. H. Gregory, wood	4 00
C. Z. Taylor, carpenter	94 90
J. M. Daniels, cleaning	25 00
Daniel Smith, cleaning	26 00
John Youngs, painter	41 23
Margaret McPhillips, cleaning	12 00
Sliter & DeWitt, labor, etc	12 50
Herman Brower, cleaning and repairing	15 00
Henry Cromwell, cleaning	2 50
	$791 34

THE PUBLIC SCHOOLS.

A Large Increase in the Attendance—Many Pupils in the Annexes.

The number of children enrolled in the public schools of this city this fall is 1,719. Twenty are yet waiting for room in the Linden avenue and Bennett Hill districts.

The following table shows the registration in each district:

Schools.	Enrolled.	Enrolled last September.	No. seats in b'ld'gs
Academy	244	206	270
High	482	456	410
Beattie	163	151	187
Bennett	254	242	210
Benton	371	377	384
Linden	205	174	203
Total	1719	1599	1676

Rented annexes furnish the accommodations for those pupils who, 270 in number, cannot find seats in the buildings.

Turf and Horse Notes.

—Chester, Orange county, has been one of the richest breeding centres in the world. Joseph Gavin, of that village, bred and owned the sire of Mascot, pacer in 2:04. He is now known as Deceiver, but was formerly known as Dean's Hambletonian. Mr. Gavin also owned the granddam of Stamboul, known as Patchen Maid, the dam of Kremlin, and the dam of Jerome Eddy. A score of others whose names I cannot now recall all with records better than 2:20 came from the stables of Mr. Gavin.—*Deckertown Independent.*

Won a Penmanship Prize at Ninety-One.

At the New Jersey State Fair at Waverly, near Newark, last week, a prize was awarded Mr. Joseph Alexander, a former resident of Orange County, for a specimen of penmanship. The exhibit was 11,710 letters written on a postal card. Mr. Alexander is nearly ninety-one years old, having been born Jan. 10, 1804 He at present resides in Newark, N. J., and is an uncle of Sheriff J. K. Alexander, of Goshen. He frequently takes a walk of four or five miles for exercise.

The Drafted Men's Convention.

The Newburgh *Journal* says a dozen men and two widows, made up the convention of drafted men in that city, yesterday. Rev. William Hull, of Albany, presided. Not even the members of the Orange county committee were present. The chairman spoke confidently of the ultimate success of the movement.

Big Capital, Little Cash.

The certificate of incorporation of the Continental Match Company of Passaic City was filed with the County Clerk Tuesday. It will manufacture matches and sell lumber at Passaic. The capital is $1,000,000, with $1,000 paid in.

Home and Abroad.

It is the duty of everyone, whether at home or traveling for pleasure or business, to equip himself with the remedy which will keep up strength and prevent illness, and cure such ills as are liable to come upon all in every day life. Hood's Sarsaparilla keeps the blood pure and less liable to absorb the germs of disease.

Hood's pills are hand made, and perfect in proportion and appearance. 25c per box.

PROHIBITION RALLY AT MIDWAY.

A Large Attendance of Representative Men—Interesting Addresses—Nominations for County Officers.

The gathering of Orange county Prohibitionists at Midway Park, yesterday afternoon, attracted the representative men of the party from all sections of the county, and is regarded as the most successful and satisfactory Prohibition meeting ever held in this section. Part of the afternoon was occupied by the Good Templars, Royal Templars and W. C. T. U., and short addresses were delivered by Rev. F. A. Heath, of this city, and Mrs. Lucy Washington, of Port Jervis.

National Chairman Dickie, of Albion, Mich, made a ringing Prohibition address at 3 o'clock, which was listened to by a good sized audience. Prof. Dickie is a good speaker, doubtless one of the best advocates of third party principles now in the field.

During the afternoon the county convention assembled, and after electing John W. Hill chairman and Geo. S. Belding secretary, placed the following in nomination:

County Judge—Joseph M. Leeper, of Newburgh.

Sheriff—John M. Brink, of Middletown.

County Clerk—Ira M. Hawkins, of Goshen.

Supt. of Poor—Chauncey Brooks, of Montgomery.

Justice of Sessions—Robt. Talcott, of Cornwall.

Coroner, 1st Dist.—Albert C. Birdsall, of Newburgh.

Coroner, 2d Dist.—John C. Mould, of Hamptonburgh.

In the evening a temperance meeting was held at Nicholson's Hall, and was addressed by Rev. Geo. W. Thompson, of Highland Falls.

The new Prohibition county committee, which was appointed, yesterday, will hold its first meeting Sept. 19 at the People's Church, Newburgh.

Fitch's Battery to Form a Veteran Organization.

Squire Lee went to Walton, to-day, to attend a meeting of the survivors of the 8th New York Independent Battery, which will be held in that village to-morrow, for the purpose of forming a veteran organization. Mr. Lee was a member of Fitch's Battery during the war, and will doubtless find much pleasure in meeting his comrades again.

The Bloomer Bicycling Costume.

We understand that one of Middletown's lady cyclists has purchased a Bloomer cycling suit, but has not yet got her courage up to the point of appearing in it in public.

These costumes are coming into use in some other cities, and it is believed will come into general use.

WOMAN'S TRIALS.

SOME LIGHT ON THE SUBJECT.

So Many Suffer Without Knowing Why. Much Can Be Avoided.

[SPECIAL TO OUR LADY READERS.]

So many feel the very life crushed out of them, wake up cheerful and happy, determined to do so much before the day ends, and yet:

Before the morning is very old, the fearful backache or bearing-down feeling attacks them, the brave spirit sinks back in affright; no matter how hard they struggle, the "clutch" is upon them, and they sink into a chair, crying, "Oh! why should I suffer so?

What can I do?"

The answer is ready, your cry has been heard, and a woman is able to restore you to health and happiness.

Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound will stop your torture and restore your courage. All your pains come from a deranged uterus or womb.

It is the greatest of all rewards to receive such letters as the following from Miss Louise Müller, who lives at 44 Michigan Ave., in Evanston, Ill. She says:

"As I have used Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, and have thereby become entirely well,

I am recommending all my lady friends to use it. I am sure it will help them in all cases of womb trouble, leucorrhœa, irregular or painful "monthly periods." I am sure it is our best friend. I am so thankful to Mrs. Pinkham for the good she has done me, that I wish every sick woman in America would write to her at Lynn, Mass., and get her advice."

Buckien's Arnica Salve.

The best salve in the world for cuts, Bruises, Sores, Ulcers, Salt Rheum, Fever Sores, Tetter, Chapped Hands, Chilblains, Corns and all Skin Eruptions, and positively cures Piles, or no pay required. It is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction or money refunded. Price 25 cents a box. For sale by McMonagle & Rogers.

FULL OF FIGHT AND RUM.

Mary White's Pugilistic Tendencies Cause Her to Spend a Night in the Lockup.

Mary White, colored, was arrested by Officers White and Walsh, last night, while creating a disturbance in Fulton street. She was full of fight and rum, and had just administered a knock out blow to a colored man against whom she had a grievance. She is the mother of several small children, the youngest of whom is but three months old.

A great crowd collected about the lockup, last evening, and all sorts of rumors of police outrages were rife, but as far as can be learned the police were perfectly justified in their action.

The woman was reprimanded and discharged this morning.

Population of the State Hospital.

According to the *Conglomerate* there were, Wednesday, 1,065 patients in the State Hospital, in this city, of whom 525 were males and 540 females During the week five patients were admitted and two discharged.

Real Estate Sales.

—John B. Dailey, real estate agent, has sold his farm of fifty-three acres, located near Scotchtown, to Mr. Otis Blakeney, of this city. Price private.

A Decided Hit.

The small boy who, when asked his age, replied that, judged by the fun he had had, he was 100 years old, pretty accurately described the feeling of the large audience at the Academy last night. Lillian Kennedy made a decided hit, and the amusement that was crowded into three hours to unravel "She Couldn't Marry Three" was enough for two nights; and all the roles essayed by Miss Kennedy and the strong support were equally charming and successful. The company is far above the average, and is sure of big business.

ONE CENT A WORD

for each insertion. No advertisement taken for less than 10 cents.

INFORMATION leading to the identity of person who removed set of single harness from my residence on Prince street desired. 1td P. A. SPELLMAN.

FOR SALE - Three (3) farms along Wallkill River. Two (2) fronting Midway Park will be sold in plots to suit. If not sold by January 1st next will be for rent or work for share. 1td* H. E. HULSE.

MEMBERS of Luther Lodge, 380, are requested to be present at the meeting, this evening at 8 o'clock, to take action on funeral of Brother Philip Samuels JOHN HENNING, JOHN BALLING, Sec. 1td N. G.

S. D. BURNS is ready to receive apples at his new cider press, at his residence, on Highland avenue. 28d2t*

TO RENT—Good Barber Shop. Enquire at BELL HOUSE. 19dtf

FOR SALE—"George," handsome five-year-old Shetland pony; kind and gentle, good driver. Enquire at BELL HOUSE. 19dtf

DESIRABLE Rooms, with board, at The "MOFFAT." 15dtf

NEXT Meeting of the Homestead Building and Loan Association, for the purpose of making loans, Sept 13 h. Any one desiring to borrow on real estate should attend meeting. Information cheerfully given. J. D. ROCKAFELLOW, Pres. C. J. BOYD, Treas. 25d6t

BOOKBINDING of all descriptions at McINTYRE'S, 32 North street 4Tutf

FOR RENT, or SALE on easy terms, house of seven rooms, new; large lot. EDWIN S. MERRILL, Attorney at Law, 16 East Main street.

IN answer to the question frequently asked me, "To whom do you advise me to go for instruction in singing," would say, I know of no one in this section better qualified to teach voice culture than Chas. H. Fuller, and I heartily recommend him to those desiring instruction in the art of singing. W. J STEVENS. For terms, etc, write or call at Middletown Music Store. 21dtf&1tw

ORDER Gazette, Daily or Sunday N. Y Papers of BEAKES, News Dealer, 3 Roberts St. Mch20

BARGAIN—For sale, house and lot on East avenue. Lot 55x150. For further particulars enquire at No. 53 East avenue. 3tdtf

ALL Kinds of shoe dressing, shoe laces. Tan shoes cleaned, recolored and repaired while you wait. No charges for sewing rips or putting on buttons at CRAIG'S, 22 West Main street.

PINDAR House, corner Wickham and Low avenues. Board at reasonable rates. Commercial $1.50 per day. 1td

STORE for Rent, suitable for drug store, grocery or meat business. Enquire at 22dtf Pindar House, Wickham avenue depot.

NO Strike on Blue Fish—Come to HARFORD'S Market. We have a fine lot of fresh fish of all kinds for Sunday dinner.

HOUSE to Let 8 rooms, all modern improvements, centrally located. Apply to 39dtf E. C. STRACK, No. 5 King street.

A FREE RIDE—You can LET THE TROLLEY take you to the NORTH END to see those beautiful Building Lots that FERGUSON has for sale so very cheap. He pays the freight. Enquire at Central Building.

ORANGE COUNTY ROOFING CO.—Exclusive dealers in a complete, Wool-Asphalt, Felt Rooling and superior Asphalt Roof Paints. Also agents for Sackett's Wall Board and The Banning Fire Extinguisher. No. 6 East Main street, Middletown, N Y. 95d&wNov5

INSTRUCTION IN MUSIC

Commencing first week in Sept. The study of voice development involves a far more important fact than correct singing, requiring a correct use of the lungs and throat, on which, in very many cases, one's health depends. The practice of singing correctly is calculated to bring about the healthy action and development of muscles which other use would have lain dormant, and the breathing exercises are of incalculable value to those inclined to pulmonary weakness. Write me or call at Middletown Music Store and have time assigned you for a trial lesson, free. 15dtfw1t CHARLES H. FULLER

FOR SALE

A desirable business, including stock and fixtures, located on North Street, for sale very cheap.

Part of reasons for selling.

Gardner & McWilliams,

25 NORTH ST., LIPFELD BUILDING.

SLEEP and REST for Baby

Are out of the question when tortured and disfigured with Eczema.

It is the cause of more intense suffering than all other skin diseases combined.

Tender babies are among its most numerous victims.

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